

# BATES STUDENT

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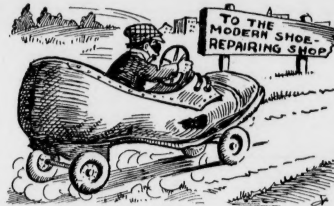
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## CALENDAR

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7

- 9.40 A.M. Farewell Service in the old chapel.
- 3.00 P.M. Dedication of new chapel.
- 8.00 P.M. Organ Recital, Will C. MacFarlane.

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 8

- 7.00 P.M. Spofford Club.
- 7.30 P.M. Girls' Glee Club Rehearsal.

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 9

- 7.30 P.M. Literary Societies.
- MONDAY, JANUARY 12
- 4.30 P.M. Mandolin Rehearsal.
- 4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.
- 6.45 P.M. Men's Bible Study Classes.
- 6.45 P.M. Senior Current Events Club, Rand Hall.

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 13

- 1.00 P.M. Press Club.
- 4.30 P.M. Orchestra Rehearsal.
- 4.45 P.M. Normal Bible Leaders Class.
- 6.45 P.M. Junior Current Events Club, Rand Hall.
- 6.45 P.M. Milliken Current Events Club.
- 6.45 P.M. Cheney Current Events Club.

## CHAMP CLARK LECTURE

The second entertainment in the W. C. A. course was a lecture, on December thirtieth, by Champ Clark, Speaker of the House of Representatives. Congressman McGillicuddy of this city, introduced him as "the best-beloved man who ever sat in the Speaker's chair." The subject of the lecture was, "America in the Twentieth Century." It was characterized by breadth of view, and an optimistic outlook on life that was inspiring. He said, in part, as follows: This republic is not on its last legs, and all its public men are not rascals, as the muckrakers and pessimists

would have the people believe. In the last hundred years this country has increased enormously in population and in wealth. If the population increases as much in the next one hundred and thirteen years as it has in the last one hundred and thirteen years, there will be two billion citizens in the United States in 2026. If our wealth increases in the same proportion, we will have, in 2026, the enormous sum of seventeen trillion, five hundred billion dollars. In 1800 we were a third-rate crowd; now we are easily in the first rank, and if we are true of the ideals of our fathers, we shall easily be first, when the glad bells ring in the year 2000. His prayer was that every American citizen might be able to read his ballot and cast it intelligently. As Henry Ward Beecher once said, "We must educate or we must perish." Our political influence over the nations has been great. In 1776, Switzerland was the sole republic; to-day there are twenty-six of them, and in the largest sense, we made them all. The Monroe Doctrine has helped the South American republics to live. His up-to-date version of the Monroe Doctrine follows: "We hereby take the entire Western Hemisphere under our protection, and we warn all creation that they must not touch it." Is the world getting better or worse? One hundred years ago, the majority of prominent public men fought duels and still continued in office. To-day, if a public man fought a duel, his successor would be elected without delay. Controversial religion is passing and the day of practical Christianity is at hand. The Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A. and many other organizations are carrying on a wonderful work. In fact, every method to ameliorate human suffering is being practiced. The spirit of the age is set forth in the thirteenth chapter of first



Corinthians: Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass and tinkling cymbals. These evidences that the world is growing better are an answer to muckrakers and pessimists. The muckrakers say that all statesmen are rascals. On the contrary, the United States government has been growing better ever since the Civil War. In conclusion Speaker Clark emphasized the thought still further that the world is getting better and that better days are coming. His parting word was, "Let the new century shame the old."

A. L. PURINTON, 1917.

### MUSICAL CLUBS

Last night the Musical Clubs gave their second concert of the season at Gardiner. To-morrow night the clubs will give a concert in Mechanic Falls.

During the past week both the Glee and Mandolin Clubs have had the benefit of special coaching. Mr. E. L. Goss, director of the Lewiston Festival Chorus, has helped with the Glee Club, while Mr. Brunner, '12, has given his time to the Mandolin Club.

Preparations have been completed for the regular winter trip of the clubs. This year it will be thru the northern part of Maine, an entirely new trip for the Bates Clubs. The trip begins Jan. 15, and will last probably for ten days.

### DEBATING

Arrangements are under way for two intercollegiate debates this year, one with Colgate and one with Tufts. No dates have been fixed, but the debates will probably be the last of April. Questions have been submitted, but as yet none has been decided upon. Colgate will debate in Lewiston, while our team will go to Medford to meet Tufts.

Probably the same method will be used in selecting the teams as was used last year. The preliminaries will begin as soon as questions are decided on.

### ORGAN RECITAL

Wednesday evening, January 7, 1914, at new chapel, by W. C. Macfarlane of Portland.

March—America, The Beautiful	<i>Macfarlane</i>
Traumerei	<i>Schumann</i>
Menuet	<i>Boccherini</i>
Fugue, in G Minor	<i>Bach</i>
Funeral March	<i>Chopin</i>
(a) Spring Song	<i>Macfarlane</i>
(b) Scotch Fantasia	<i>Macfarlane</i>
Largo	<i>Handel</i>
March—Tannhauser	<i>Wagner</i>
Evening Star Song—Tannhauser	<i>Wagner</i>
Overture—Tannhauser	<i>Wagner</i>

### DEDICATION BATES CHAPEL

JANUARY 7, 1914, 2 P.M.

The following program was given at the dedication of the New Bates College Chapel:

Organ Prelude	W. C. Macfarlane
Doxology	
Responsive Reading and Invocation	Rev. David Nelson Beach, D.D.
Anthem	College Choir
The Architecture and The Decoration of the Chapel	J. R. Coolidge, Jr.
What Our Chapel Means	President Chase
Words of Dedication	
Written for the occasion and read responsively by President Chase and students.	
Dedication Address	Rev. Frank Mason North, D.D.
Singing of the Dedication Ode	
Prayer of Consecration	Rev. Frederick E. Emrich, D.D.
The College Hymn	
Benediction	Rev. Alfred W. Anthony, D.D.
Postlude	Mr. MacFarlane



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**NAPOLEON ON THE BELLEROPRON**

Back! back, thou stubborn ship, I say!  
 Back to thy port and sandy bay!  
 Mine is the meadow's morning dew,  
 Mine the woodland's verdant hue,—  
 Not the wave and briny blue,  
 What! thou wretch! dar'st thou betray?  
 Dar'st thou pursue and urge thy cursed way?

Arise then winds, and tempests, storm, and  
 sea,

And all that still believe in me,  
 And cast this rebel to the strand,  
 The strand of the unwelcome land,  
 Where hopes and dreams of mine stand.  
 Rage on, ye winds, o'er ocean's lea.  
 But what! will earth and sky reject my plea?

Ha, France! the country nearest to my heart,  
 My foster mother, how false thou art!  
 Ha, France! the country of my fame,  
 Why hast thou thrust me into shame,  
 And cast into disgrace my name?  
 Why dost thou bid me to depart,—  
 To die forlorn, forgot, from friends apart?

Behold thy child of laurel-blooming past  
 That raised thee from the humble dust,  
 That filled thy hills with cannon's roar,  
 And spilt thy tyrant's morbid gore  
 Upon thy valleys, sea, and shore!  
 Behold, with chains I am bound fast,  
 And like a dog of foul birth I am cast!

Cast! thy glorious son of mighty will,  
 Whose eagle soared on every hill;  
 Who sent the blaze from pole to pole,  
 Who dared the fates of nations roll,  
 Who gave thee life, and blood, and soul.  
 Thy son, who made the world thrill,  
 And bade the hostile cannon be quiet and still.

Alas! thy winding shores no more I see!  
 Nothing, but empty sky and sea.  
 Adieu my country—fare thee well;  
 My part is o'er—the curtain fell;  
 And all thy stately towers knell,  
 And shall forever knelling be  
 For all the glories past and gone with me.

COSTAS STEPHANIS.

**BATES NEEDLE CLUB**

The Bates Needle Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. A. W. Anthony, Thursday afternoon, January 1. The afternoon was spent socially by the ladies. From 4.30 to 5.30 the gentlemen of the faculty were entertained and refreshments of coffee, cocoa, wafers, and confections, were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. F. Boothby.

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**SPOFFORD CLUB**

At the last meeting of the Spofford Club Mr. Hill presented a new Bates song and other poetry, also a portion of a story which will be continued at the next meeting. Mr. Woodman also read a story. Miss Bryant, and Miss Durgan of the class of 1915 have been elected members of the club.

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**POLYMNIA**

Piano Solo	Mr. Clifford, '16
Reading	Miss Page, '15
Original Part	Mr. Hill, '14

Reception to new members.

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**POLITICS CLUB**

The topic under discussion at the next meeting of the Politics Club will be "Socialism and Single Tax." This meeting will be held January 14, at 7.30, in Libby Forum.

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**EUROSOPHIA**

The program took the form of a New Year's Frolic. Games and contests were enjoyed.

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**PIAERIA**

The program consisted of a piano solo by Mrs. Leslie, '17, and charades by the society members.



## TRACK

Track work began last Wednesday, Dec. 31, 1913, under the supervision of Coach Lathrop and Captain Nevers. Twenty-five men reported the first day.

Thursday evening in the History room Coach Lathrop met all the men who are interested in track. Among other things, he said: "We want a greater number out for track work. Thirty-five men have already come down, but seventy or eighty ought to come. We must develop an entirely new team, for seven out of the eleven men, who went up to Orono last year, have graduated and Captain Nevers is the only point winner in college now.

It is no disgrace for a college to lose a track meet if the best material is in the field. But it is a disgrace if the college is not represented in each event by the best men in college.

Come out and work, even if you are not "stars" and incidentally "the cream will rise to the top."

The indoor meet this winter in city hall promises to be an unusually good one. The three upper classes are very evenly matched. No class will carry off all the honors as they have in the last three years.

Captain Nevers will probably win the twenty-five yard dashes, although Small, '15, Nash, '15, and Cummings, '16, are all good starters. Both the high and low hurdles lie between Tomblen, '14, and Coady, '14. Parker, '14, will no doubt, win the mile run, but Doe, '16, will give him a hard fight. Mansfield, '15, and Chamberlain, '17, will probably take the other two places in this event. Drake, '14, a varsity man, will have an easy time carrying off the honors in the high jump. Peterson, '16, looks good for second place. The pole vault will no doubt be won by Stinson, '15, with Drew, '16, Cummings, '16, Tucker, '16, and Johnson, '15, as close rivals. In the weights the Freshmen ought to excel with men like Cobb, Kerr and De Wever on the list. The potato race is an uncertainty, but

nevertheless very important as it will probably decide which class will be the winners of the meet. Nineteen Sixteen has a strong relay team, comprising Syrene, Cummings, Snow, Boyd and Boothby; but they will meet with the strongest combination in Nineteen Fifteen, who will be represented by Blanchard, Nash, Seavey and Small.

## Y. M. C. A.

The regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. held last Wednesday evening was led by Mr. Harding, 1915. The theme of the evening "Progress."

Mr. Cushman and Mr. Johnson, '16, attended the convention at Kansas City as delegates from the college.

A deputation team consisting of Packard, '14, Marsden, '14, Crandlemire, '14, H. M. Smith, '14, R. B. Parker, '14, Harding, '15, Witham, '15, and Buker, '16, have been holding a series of meetings at Lisbon Falls, Friday, Saturday and Sunday of the past week. Mr. Saxton, '15, preached at the union service held Sunday morning.

## "PRAYER"

Let not my soul corrode, apart;  
But let me sense the throbbing heart  
Of Labour, pulsing full and free  
As the swelling tides of the aeon-deep sea.

Let me not serve for self alone;  
But let me give ear to the half-heard moan  
If Magdalene Mary in the Night—  
Let my words bless, where others blight.

Let thru my sinews thrill the feel  
Of hurrying Traffic, and hammered steel;  
And may my heart, 'till Life's twelfth hour,  
Be drawn to thine by service-power.

Yea, this my single care shall be:  
To make my life loom up for Thee;  
To lift and pity,—ne'er to ban,—  
To live, and love, and die—a Man.

CLAIR V. CHESLEY, '12.



## THE MODEST PANSY

Once upon a time a family of beautiful white pansies lived in a flower garden, where they were the most admired of all the gay flowers that blossomed around them. This wasn't because Mother Nature was kinder to them than to the others. No indeed! Mother Nature was never partial to anyone. The real reason was that they made themselves beautiful. They were always the first to pop out of the ground in the spring, and from that time on, they were never idle. They carefully arranged their leaves so that their bed would be perfectly round; they shook off the dust and dirt which the wind and rain left on their petals. They washed their faces every day in the softest, earliest dew. They simply couldn't help being beautiful after taking such pains.

But one summer, something dreadful happened, which with all their care they could not stop. A horrid, creepy, red worm came crawling into their bed, and, in spite of their tears and protests, began to eat their green leaves. My! Such awful anger! They rustled threateningly on their stalks, and shook their heads in the most forbidding manner. Every one was talking at once but the Modest Pansy; but the Modest Pansy never said very much, anyway. They all loved her best; but of course she couldn't be expected to do anything, when it was absolutely necessary to use force and will-power.

Long after her companions had gone to sleep, that night, the Modest Pansy was wide awake, listening to the "Crunch! Crunch!" of the red worm as he steadily ate away.

"Some day he will eat our beautiful faces," she thought, and shuddering, she drew her petals more closely about her.

A belated bee stopped to rest on a green stalk near by, before finishing his journey homeward. The Modest Pansy at once told him all her troubles and begged for his help. But the bee was not even interested.

"Everyone must live," he said, "and I wouldn't sting a poor worm to death for trying to get something to eat."

Suddenly the Modest Pansy became very crafty.

"I have a little honey for you," she said, sweetly.

The greedy bee at once flew into her center; and, quick as a flash, the Modest Pansy closed her petals tightly about him. "Buzz! Buzz! Buzz! Let me go!" stormed the bee; but she only clasped him still more closely. All thru the long night she held him fast, altho it seemed that his struggles would burst her delicate petals.

In the morning the other pansies awoke and called to their sister, but she remained drooping on her stalk. With all their gentle waxing they could not get her to raise her head.

"Ah! Our poor little sister is dead!" they cried, and every pansy head was bowed in sorrow. But the Modest Pansy was not dead. She was waiting for something to happen, and she did not have to wait long, either. The red worm had been eating her leaves and now he began to climb her stalk. The Modest Pansy extended one of her petals, and the worm put out his ugly nose, and slowly crawled upon its white surface. Then the Modest Pansy quickly closed it up again, and the bee and the worm were shut in.

Then followed a terrible battle. The bee tried to sting the worm, and the worm hugged his ugly body about the bee. As soon as the Modest Pansy saw that the worm was getting the worst of the battle, she opened her petals and the two fell upon the ground, where they were eagerly watched by the flowers. After a while, the bee spread his wings and flew triumphantly away, leaving the red worm stretched dead upon the ground.

When the pansies turned to look at their drooping sister, they found her transformed. The blood of the red worm had stained her center a most brilliant hue. In time she grew well and strong again, but her beautiful crimson center always remained, to remind her comrades that the finest things in life come thru sacrifice.



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This issue of the STUDENT marks the beginning of another year. It also represents the first efforts of the newly elected board. The paper has been turned over to us after having a most successful year. The passing board fulfilled its task in a worthy and efficient manner. They gave to us the first weekly issue of the STUDENT, the need of which has long been felt for the proper representation of our college.

It is not our purpose at this time to outline wholly our plans for the coming year, but simply to say, that we keenly realize the responsibility that is to be ours. It is with this thought in mind, that we enter upon our duties with the determination to maintain the standard set by our predecessors; also to bring the STUDENT to even a higher plane.

The STUDENT has proved its worth in the past, and we trust that it will not be found wanting in the future.

Although at this time we have not fully outlined our policies for the coming year, we have set before us an ideal. We wish to make the STUDENT a true literary representative of the college—the connecting link between the student body and alumni. In order to accomplish this, not only the best efforts of the board, but also the united and harmonious action of the students and alumni, is necessary.

This is your paper, use it, and give to it the democratic spirit, that is so predominant in the college which you represent. We especially invite constructive criticism at all times. If the paper does not come up to the standard to which you think it ought, do not complain to each other, but seek the cause. Be progressive, and communicate your criticism to the editorial board. It is not our paper, we are merely the agents thru whom you may give expression to your thoughts.

Students and Alumni, let us join with you during the coming year, and keep the STUDENT up to its high standard of the past! Send us the articles which you have written, or, if you have never written an article for the STUDENT, resolve to let us hear from you during the season of 1914.

The STUDENT has a mission to fulfil, namely, that it shall always be a worthy representative of the ideals of Bates College.

Owing to the extra expense of publishing a weekly paper, the business manager wishes to announce to the alumni, that the names of all those whose subscriptions are not paid by February first will be dropped from his subscription list.

On Saturday, December 27, some of the 1913 girls enjoyed their annual Christmas tree at the home of Mrs. Gladys Woodman-Herring of Portland. Miss Margaret Dickson, Miss Katherine Tuttle, Miss Beatrice Jones, Mrs. Aletha Rollins Harms, Miss Amy Weeks, and Miss Helen Vose, were present.



The 1915 resident girls were pleasantly entertained New Year's night by Miss Adrienne Belleau at her home. Thru the early part of the evening candy and nuts were served. Later the guests were invited into the dining-room, where sandwiches, charlotte russe, cake, chocolate, pickles, olives, and fruits were served. The guests were Misses Pearl Wheeler, Ruby Wheeler, Maude Howard, Viola Nevens, Jessie Leighton, Cecilia Walsh, Annie Stewart, Ida Currie, Vera Chapman, Helen Hertell and Miss Elsie Cheetham, a graduate of the Lewiston High School in 1911.

The Y. W. C. A. Meeting of this week took the form of a New Year's Meeting led by Miss Buswell and Miss Roberts.

Miss Wadsworth, '15, who is a delegate of the Y. W. C. A. to Kansas City, returned Wednesday.

No Current Events Clubs were held last week because of the lecture by Champ Clark on Tuesday evening.

It will be of interest to Bates people to know that Stanley R. Oldham, formerly of the Bates faculty, has been elected as principal of Maine Central Institute, in Pittsfield, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Prof. F. U. Landman. Mr. Oldham will begin his duties Monday, January 12.

Advantage was taken of the recent fall of snow by a few members of the Sophomore Class, Saturday afternoon and evening. A party of fourteen couples were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Harms on a snow-shoeing trip to Lake Grove House. Here, they enjoyed an oyster supper, followed by games and singing. The party returned to the college shortly after nine o'clock, feeling that the trip was well worth the while.

Several men of the class of 1913 had supper at a Lewiston hotel, Friday, December 26. Among those present were Carleton A. Dennis, Ray Shepard, Harry Woodman, Ray Thompson, Ernest Griffin, Walter Deering, Frank Hall, H. W. L. Kidder, Walter Fletcher, and William Walsh.

Miss Elizabeth Wood, '15, and Miss Gladys Merrill have both been confined to their homes by illness for several weeks.

### BASEBALL PROSPECTS

The football season has become history. Basketball and hockey do not hold such prominent places at Bates as at many colleges. Thus it is that we are looking forward endeavoring to estimate the position Bates ought to hold during the rapidly approaching baseball season.

A glance over the list of veterans now in college is very encouraging. The last graduation did not make any serious inroads upon our team. We have Stinson and Lindquist to do the pitching. Both of these men showed good form last year.

Lord is ready to handle the mit again. Last year Lord was placed in a hard position, to take the place of Griffin, the captain, and the man upon whose judgment the whole team was depending. Lord played a good game considering the difficulties with which he had to contend.

Percy Cobb, first baseman, and Coady, third baseman, are with us for another season. From the new material little competition seems to be forthcoming for these positions. Marston, shortstop, did some all-round good work last year. He will probably be with us for three more seasons. Drake and Talbot are both fielders of last year's team. We are justified in expecting fine work from them this year.

Among the new material perhaps the most promising are McDonald, second base, and Murray, left field. McDonald has already made a splendid record in his "prep" school. With this reputation we hope for a good showing from him before the end of the season. Murray is not without experience. He comes to us as a Horace Mann player. Conners, right field, and Winslow, pitcher, are also to be counted upon as promising newcomers. A. R. Cobb did well in the Fresh-



man-Sophomore game. He ought to make good on the squad. Fuller, '15, is expected to make a good showing this season. Last summer Fuller played on the Winthrop team, which won the championship of the Trolley League.

Practice began for the new men immediately after the Christmas holidays; the old men will be out by the first of March. Coach Furinton will again have the work in charge.

To make the team a success, one more thing is necessary—the support of all of the students. By this support we can best show our Bates spirit.

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#### THE MENTOR

There's a grand old pile of craggy rocks that  
guards our campus here;  
Head bent, it waits for the will of Bates,  
And echoes back each song and cheer.  
When the day is done, and the game is won,  
And the chapel bell is still,  
From its bald old head comes a glare of red—  
A crown for the grand old hill.  
And over the campus, and over the town,  
The joy it reflects comes tumbling down.

#### CHORUS

Then here's to Mount David and all that he  
owns,  
Grand old monarch of echoes and stones,  
Mighty old temple of hopes, fears, and fates;  
Great Granite Guard of the Garnet and Bates.

Sometimes it broods alone and black,  
And when the game is thru,  
The chapel bell beneath its spell  
Is hushed and brooding, too.  
The dark night falls upon the halls,  
The campus, and the hill;  
With victory gone, it calls: "Fight on!  
Fight, for the fighting still!"  
And patient, strong in the lonely night,  
Silent, it calls to us still to Fight.

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"SLANG"

The morning trolley-car bumped and jolted me on toward my destination. The two girls seated directly behind me were talking so loudly that I could not help but hear.

"Gee! that was a bum trick. I'd have canned him right away."

"Well, good-night, I guess you wouldn't. It got my goat, tho."

I had not especially noticed the girls as I entered the car, but at once there came to me a mental picture. They were, I reflected, probably working girls with little education. They—but my soliloquy was interrupted.

"He's some swell sport, believe me!"

"Yes, and Papa's got the chink."

Immediately my picture took on color, grew more distinct, and stood with well-defined shapes and features. No doubt the girls spent their evenings at Music Hall, wore cheap jewelry, and chewed gum. Suddenly the car stopped, the girls got off and I saw—

refined faces, attractive clothes, in short—two high school students.

With this surprising incident as a stimulus my mind turned to slang—that indefinite, elastic term which Webster mercilessly defines as "new words that have no just reason for being." Then I thought of Professor Stuart's modification of that definition, "many of which finally take their places in the language of literature and speech," and I asked myself quite candidly, "What is really slang and how much should it be used?"

I suppose our slang originally started with a desire to intensify and make more vivid our every-day, Anglo-Saxon speech. The desire, if not the result, was laudable. If we follow instinct we invariably use some slang. For what is slang but the natural expression of animated thought? It is as easy to invent slang expressions as it is hard to find their reputable equivalents. Take, for example, our slang expression "stung." What good, staunch, English word have we which so clearly expresses the meaning this word conveys? Is "chagrined," "mistaken," or "deceived" comparable to it? Another example—the slang verb "to squeal." Can you find a self-respecting, Anglo-Saxon phrase which equals it? No one is so rash as to deny the strength and force of these expressions. And do we dare to say that these words, along with many other ambitious aliens, "have no just reasons for being?" For if we refuse them to-day as slang we may be obliged to accept them to-morrow as a part of our language.

From which I conclude that a moderate, judicious use of appropriate slang is to be commended, while its opposite is to be as heartily condemned. And with Pope I say:

"In words, as fashions, the same rule will hold,

Alike fantastic if too new or old;

Be not the first by whom the new are tried,

Nor yet the last to lay the old aside."

—16.



## ALUMNI NOTES

1868—President Chase was a delegate from Maine to a meeting of the International Peace Conference at Richmond, Va.

1871—Israel Paul Quimby is pastor of the First Unitarian Church, Malden, Mass.

1874—Rev. J. H. Hoffman has accepted a call to the Congregational Church of West Brookfield, Mass.

1878—Ezra Bonney Vining is located in business at 39th Street and Vincennes Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

1882—Leonard M. Tarr has been connected with the U. S. weather bureau since July, 1883. He received his A.M. from Yale in 1901, and was lecturer at Yale from 1901 to 1908.

1894—Frank Clifford Thompson is teacher of Science in the High School at Gloucester, Mass.

1898—F. U. Landman, who has been principal of the Maine Central Institute at Pittsfield for the last thirteen years, has resigned. He will go to New Hampshire where he has accepted a position as school superintendent of three towns.

1899—O. C. Merrill has an important position in the Water Power Division of the United States Forestry Department at Washington.

1900—Clara Maria Trask is teacher of French in the High School in Arlington, Mass.

1901—Miss Mame S. Bennet has recently been elected head of the Department of Latin in the Passaic, New Jersey, High School. This position has for the last thirteen years been filled by a man, at a salary of \$1700.

1901—H. H. Stuart, principal of Cony High School, has been appointed superintendent of the Augusta schools.

1902—On December 6, occurred the death of Mrs. Laura Summerbell Spence at Auburn, N. Y.

1902—Helen Knowlton, formerly Bates 1902, is teaching in the department of Home Economics at Cornell University.

1903—Harry Merritt Towne is an instructor in Glenville High School, Cleveland, Ohio.

Deimont G. Tozier is located in business at 35 Van Nostrand Ave., Jersey City, N. J.

1904—F. F. Dunfield, principal of high school at Milford, N. H., has two children—Barbara, three years old, and Burton, six months old.

1904—J. A. Sinclair has been professor of science at New Hampton Literary Institute for five years. He has a son, William Thomas, five years old, and a daughter, Eleanor Stuart, nearly two years old.

1905—John E. Peterson has accepted a position in Strait University, New Orleans, under the auspices of the Congregational American Missionary Association.

Eugene Tuttle is located in Rye, N. H., as superintendent of the class district of Rye, Durham, Greenland, and Newington.



1906—The marriage of Miss Alice Pray Rand and Gustaf Albin Hagstrom of New York, took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. H. Rand, in Lewiston, January 3.

1910—December 27, occurred the marriage of Miss Helen S. Pingree and Peter I. Lawton, in Salem, Mass.

1912—Maud Astle is teaching English and Expression at the Lexington School for Young Women, Lexington, Missouri.

1912—Harold S. Roseland, who has been in the employ of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. in their Portland office this last fall, has gone to Akron, Ohio, to work for the same company.

The marriage of Miss Mary Pingree to Leo Vernon Harris of Chattanooga, Tenn., took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Henry Long, Topsfield, Mass., December 23. Mr. and Mrs. Harris will be at home after January 1, at Durham, N. H.

John Richard Tucker is instructor of Science in Barberton High School, Barberton, Ohio.

Ralph H. Bolster completed a successful year as instructor in the high school at Bakersfield, Vt.

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Teacher—Johnny, what is a cube?

Johnny—A cube is a solid surrounded by six equal squares.

Teacher—Right! Willie, what is a cone?

Willie—A cone? Why—a cone is—a—er—a funnel stuffed with ice cream.

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Teacher—John, what is wrong with the sentence, "The goat went in the garden?"

John—The words "garden" and "goat" should be transposed.

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A teacher in a lower grade was instructing her pupils in the use of the hyphen. After considerable explanation and a few questions.

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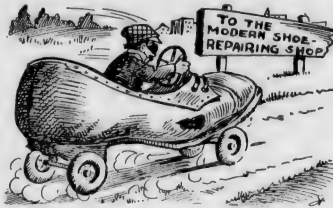
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## CALENDAR

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14

- 6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.
- 6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.
- 7.30 P.M. Politics Club.

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 15

- 2.30 P.M. Sophomore Debates.
- 7.00 P.M. Spofford Club.

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 16

- 8.00 P.M. George Colby Chase Lecture.  
S. S. McClure, City Hall.

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 17

- 2.30 P.M. Sophomore Debates.

### MONDAY, JANUARY 19

- 4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.
- 6.45 P.M. Men's Bible Study Classes.
- 6.45 P.M. Senior Current Events Club,  
Rand Hall.
- 7.30 P.M. Student Council.

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 20

- 2.30 P.M. Sophomore Debates.
- 4.45 P.M. Normal Bible Leaders' Class.
- 6.45 P.M. Junior Current Events Club, Rand  
Hall.
- 6.45 P.M. Milliken Current Events Club.
- 6.45 P.M. Cheney Current Events Club.

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21

- 6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.
- 6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

## THE FAREWELL CHAPEL SERVICE

For the last time the chapel exercises were held in Hathorn Hall, Wednesday, January 7, at the regular hour. Thruout the service a feeling of reverence prevailed. The exercises were conducted in the usual order.

After the Doxology, and the reading of the ninetieth Psalm, President Chase offered prayer. The hymn was, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," after which the services took a reminiscent turn. The President spoke first, recalling a number of incidents which he vividly remembered. He said that up to 1870 the rooms now occupied by the History and Latin

departments were used as the chapel, that the services were conducted as they are to-day, except that there were no remarks made by the leader. Among others, he referred to the former president, Dr. O. B. Cheney.

President Chase then introduced Dr. L. M. Palmer, of Framingham, Mass., a graduate of Bates, 1875. Dr. Palmer was very entertaining in his wit and reminiscences. He spoke of old scenes in the classroom and paid special tribute to Professor Stanton. He mentioned the great change of Christianity, saying that formerly it was looked upon as a great sin to kill a fly. "Now," he said, "it is a Christian duty." In his reference to Justice Spear, who was sitting directly behind him as he spoke, he called forth rounds of applause in telling of incidents which happened in those days when they were classmates together.

Justice A. M. Spear was called upon, and said that he regretted the abandonment of reading the scriptures in the common schools. He said that the history of the world has meant a change and that that change has meant progress. He spoke of the pleasant associations and agreeable connections of the old chapel, and in closing gave wholesome advice to the students in his words "It is for every student to say what his life shall be."

Hon. O. B. Clason praised the musical clubs of the college and expressed a high regard for the literary societies. His genuine sincerity and enthusiasm for Bates were, as usual, not wanting.

Professor L. G. Jordan, one of the oldest members of the faculty, was urged to speak. His remarks were much enjoyed.

Finally, Professor Stanton was called upon by the President. No greater applause ever echoed through the old walls of Hathorn Hall than that given our dearly beloved Professor of so many years of faithful service. Out of respect the audience stood while he spoke. He uttered such notes as only one of his sincerity can utter. It was the voice of one respected as a true man, beloved, and honored for the noble work he has accomplished.

The services were fittingly ended by the singing of the College Hymn.



### DEDICATION OF NEW CHAPEL

The dedication of the new chapel was a ceremony long to be remembered by all. Long before the time set for the exercises nearly every seat was taken. The new organ played by Will C. Macfarlane of Portland, added much to the beauty and impressiveness of the occasion.

The responsive reading and invocation was led by the Rev. David N. Beach, D.D., President of the Bangor Theological School. Then followed the address of Mr. J. R. Coolidge, Jr., on "The Architecture and the Decoration of the Chapel."

After the anthem by the choir, President Chase expressed in a brief but impressive manner "What Our Chapel Means." Following which the President, together with students, read responsively the Words of the Dedication.

The Dedictory Address was delivered by Rev. Frank Mason North, D.D. It was an address of depth and power.

The program was concluded with the singing of the ode, "The House of Prayer," written by Miss Mabel S. Merrill, Bates, '91; the prayer of consecration by Rev. James A. Howe, D.D., of Belmont, Mass., the singing of the hymn, written by Prof. George M. Chase; the "Hallelujah Chorus" by Mr. Macfarlane, and the benediction by Rev. A. W. Anthony, D.D.

### THE ORGAN RECITAL

As a final touch to the ceremonies of the day came the organ recital by Mr. Macfarlane, Wednesday evening. The college was especially fortunate in procuring a man of so wide a reputation, built upon rare musical talent and accomplishments. There was a great demand for admissions, but owing to the limited seating capacity of the chapel, many were necessarily disappointed.

Every number was listened to with intense interest, and again and again was the audience held in almost perfect silence. If it were possible to tell which of all the selections was most pleasing, perhaps it was "Scotch Fantasia," written by Mr. Macfarlane. It savored of those old familiar songs so typical of the Highlands.

### DEBATING

The oratorical contest of the Intercollegiate Peace Association will be held after morning prayers on Monday, January 26, in the Assembly Room of Hathorn Hall. The De-

bating Council announce a first prize of \$15 a second prize of \$10. The winner will represent Bates in the State contest, in which prizes of \$100 will be given. Mr. William F. Slade, '13, won first place last year, both in the local and in the State contest.

"Resolved, That it is for the best interests of the United States to abandon the Monroe Doctrine as a permanent policy," is the proposition for the Sophomore preliminary debates to be held during January 14-28. The class has been arranged in six divisions, each speaker will present a complete forensic on the subject, and a prize for argumentative skill will be awarded in each section. The judges will also select, irrespective of divisions, the six best debaters, who will participate in the champion prize debate in February.

### LOCALS

At the recent New England Public Speaking Conference, held in Boston, Prof. G. M. Robinson was made a member of the committee on membership, of which John Wetzel of Yale is chairman. Prof. Irvah L. Winter of Harvard is the president of the Conference.

Last week the Y. W. C. A. meeting was omitted because of the Organ Recital given at the New Chapel by Mr. Will C. Macfarlane of Portland.

At the Y. W. C. A. meeting this week, Miss Wadsworth gave a very interesting report of the Kansas City Convention.

The Current Events Clubs were held this week as usual. At the meeting of the Senior Club, light refreshments were served.

The Girls' Basketball teams are playing some fine practice games.

Saturday evening, the girls of the Whit-tier House entertained a number of the young men of the Freshman class at a chafing dish party in the gymnasium at Rand Hall. Refreshments consisting of fruit salad and fudge were served. The committee in charge was the Misses Green, Lawry, and Farnsworth. Miss Buswell and Professor Robinson acted as chaperons.

Dean Hart of the University of Maine was present at the chapel exercises on Thursday morning.

Saturday morning Stanley R. Oldham, formerly of the Bates faculty, and recently elected as principal of Maine Central Insti-



tute, conducted the exercises and gave a short talk. He suggested a type of religion for Bates, and said that it may be divided into three parts, Sanity, Humanism, and Surety.

### BASEBALL

The preliminary baseball schedule has been announced by Manager O'Connell. Eighteen games have already been ratified by the advisory council and several others are pending. When the schedule is completed, it will be one of the best Bates has ever played. The Massachusetts trip takes in Boston College, Harvard, and Holy Cross.

Saturday, April 18, Bowdoin at Brunswick (exhibition).

Monday, April 20, Pending.

Wednesday, April 22, Pilgrims at Lewiston.

Saturday, April 25, Portland League at Portland.

Monday, April 27, Boston College at Boston.

Tuesday, April 28, Harvard at Cambridge.

Wednesday, April 29, Holy Cross at Worcester.

Saturday, May 2, Colby at Waterville.

Tuesday, May 5, Auburn at Lewiston.

Wednesday, May 6, Pending.

Saturday, May 9, Maine at Lewiston.

Wednesday, May 13, Maine at Orono.

Saturday, May 16, Track Meet.

Wednesday, May 20, Colby at Lewiston.

Friday, May 22, Tufts at Lewiston.

Saturday, May 23, N. H. State at Durham.

Wednesday, May 27, N. H. State at Lewiston.

Thursday, May 28, Auburn at Auburn.

Saturday, May 30, Bowdoin at Lewiston.

Wednesday, June 3, Open.

Friday, June 5, Bowdoin at Brunswick.

Saturday, June 6, Colby at Gardiner (exhibition).

The freshman candidates for the baseball team began work in the cage, Friday, Jan. 9, 1914, under the direction of Captain Coady and Coach Purinton. Out of the nineteen men who reported there were ten out-fielders, Brooks, Davis, Butler, Cobb, Hopkins, Elliott, Collins, Boissoneau, McCormack, and De Weaver; two pitchers, Mills and Rose; one catcher, Segal; two first-base men, Winslow and Collins; two second-base men, Mills and Murray; two third-basemen, Boober and

Crooker; and two candidates for short, McDonald and Phelan. This number will be cut down in a few weeks and only the most promising candidates kept.

### JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

On Monday afternoon, at the invitation of the manager, a Bates graduate, the Society visited the Lewiston Telephone Exchange.

The regular meeting of the Society was held Monday evening. Papers relating to chemical subjects were read by Messrs. Redman and Harding. A report of several magazines was also read by Mr. Drake, '14.

### SOCIETIES

Piæria's entertainment consisted of "The Bachelor's Reverie".

Polymnia was Eurosophia's guest for the evening. The combined program was much enjoyed by all present:

Piano Duet

Mr. Barrows, '14, Mr. Meader, '15

Reading

Miss Hood, '16

Piano Trio

Misses Roberts, Smith, and Hilton

Reading

Mr. Chayer, '17

Vocal Solo

Miss Smith, '17

Selection

Orchestra

Reading

Mr. Bacon, '17

Selections

Orchestra

### SPOFFORD CLUB

At the last meeting of the Spofford Club Wilbert S. Warren read a short story entitled "Spirits." Frank Hill presented a poem, "Wind Songs." It was voted to revise the Spofford Play at the next meeting. The club accepted Miss Edith Adams' invitation to a snowshoe party in Auburn next Thursday evening.

### ROUND TABLE

The Bates Round Table met Friday night, Jan. 9, at the home of A. W. Anthony. A Wagner program was carried out. Dr. A. N. Leonard was the chief speaker and his subject was "Wagner's Literary Background." Miss Ethel Gould read Longfellow's poems on Nuremberg and Vogelweid. Prof. George M. Chase spoke on Ulysses, Venus, Cupid and Psyche. Dr. Anthony spoke on "The Wandering Jew," and Prof. Robinson read from "Parsifal." Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.



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The dedication of the new chapel adds another building to the college campus. It provides for us a suitable place of worship, hardly excelled by any other of its kind in our state and perhaps in New England.

For fifty years the old chapel has served its purpose and served it well. Many and tender are the recollections that it brings to us as students, faculty, and alumni. It is not without a tinge of regret, that we go out from its walls for the last time, realizing that its usefulness as a place of worship is past.

Nevertheless, as we turn our footsteps from this threshold to enter the new home provided for our daily worship, it is with a feeling that the services of each morning will emphasize not only to ourselves, but to the world at large, that this is a Christian college. The pleasing interior, the choir, and the organ combine to make the exercises conducive to good fellowship and inspiring to all who may attend.

Traditions and customs are the cords that bind us to the past. They are not woven in a day, neither are they the product of one man's labors. Being the gift of the past to the present, we hesitate to sever them, even though in some instances, we could wish them otherwise.

We are now entering the new chapel. Unconsciously by our conduct there we will formulate traditions which will bind the student body at Bates for years to come. Therefore, it behooves us to consciously make these traditions surrounding the new chapel, of such a nature that they may be in keeping with the beauty and grandeur of the edifice.

We therefore wish to bring to the attention of the student body the following questions:

1. Should there be organized cheering in the new chapel?

2. Is applause the most fitting manner of expressing our approbation?

3. Should the custom of having the Seniors leave the chapel while the other classes are seated, be abandoned?

These questions should be carefully considered, for they are soon to be voted upon by the Student Assembly.

## MUSICAL CLUB TRIP

The Bates Glee and Mandolin Clubs start Friday, January 16th, on their winter trip thru northern Maine. Manager Carey, '15, has arranged for one of the best trips the clubs have ever taken. The trip will last for ten days and cover over seven hundred miles. Eight concerts have been arranged for. The first night, Friday, January 16, the clubs will be in Machias, going from there to Calais on Saturday, and also spending Sunday in that place. The concerts for the following week are: Monday at Island Falls, Tuesday at Fort Fairfield, Wednesday at Houlton, Thursday at Millinocket, Friday at Bangor, and Saturday at Pittsfield. The concert at Bangor will be given in the Auditorium of the new Bangor High School building. This auditorium is without doubt the finest of its kind in the State, and equal to any in New England.



The men who will make the trip are: L. R. Carey, '15, Manager; C. E. Hadley, '14, Leader of the Glee Club, W. D. Small, '14, Leader of the Mandolin Club, C. H. Beek, '14, R. V. Morgridge, '14, H. W. Goodhue, '14, O. J. Moulton, '14, T. H. Blanchard, '15, G. R. Talbot, '15, A. F. Thomas, '15, J. L. Meader, '15, J. L. Moulton, '15, J. S. Seavey, '15, L. Jordan, '15, N. D. Meader, '15, E. F. Pigeon, '15, F. W. Benvie, '16, H. B. Clifford, '16, R. D. Stillman, '16, H. E. Hinton, '17, P. W. Lane, '17, and T. H. Bacon, '17. The accompanists are Mr. E. G. Barrows, '14, and Mr. N. D. Meader, '15. Mr. Carey, '15, is the reader for the clubs. The quartet is Messrs. Hinton, Blanchard, Hadley and Morgridge, and the soloists are Messrs. Hadley, Beek, Blanchard, Morgridge and Benvie.

The programme that will be followed in the concerts is as follows:

#### PART I

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|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Piano Duet       |                  | <i>Selected</i> |
|                     | Mr. BARROWS, '14 |                 |
|                     | Mr. MEADER, '15  |                 |
| 2. Soldiers' Chorus |                  | <i>Gounod</i>   |
|                     | GLEE CLUB        |                 |
| 3. The Arbitrator   |                  | <i>Faubert</i>  |
|                     | MANDOLIN CLUB    |                 |
| 4. Reading          |                  | <i>Selected</i> |
|                     | Mr. CAREY, '15   |                 |
| 5. Quartet          |                  |                 |
| 6. Vocal Solo       |                  | <i>Selected</i> |
|                     | Mr. HADLEY, '14  |                 |
| 7. March Militaire  |                  | <i>Boehm</i>    |
|                     | MANDOLIN CLUB    |                 |

#### PART II

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|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1. Gay Hearts     |                | <i>Macy</i>     |
|                   | GLEE CLUB      |                 |
| 2. Vocal Solo     |                |                 |
| 3. Dance of Moths |                | <i>Weidt</i>    |
|                   | MANDOLIN CLUB  |                 |
| 4. Reading        |                | <i>Selected</i> |
|                   | Mr. CAREY, '15 |                 |
| 5. Quartet        |                |                 |
| 6. Sailor Song    |                | <i>Hatton</i>   |
|                   | GLEE CLUB      |                 |
| 7. Alma Mater     |                |                 |
|                   | COMBINED CLUB  |                 |

#### THE "GROWING UP" OF JOHN HENRY

"Why won't you play with me?" pleaded a little maiden with a tear-stained face and a quivering lip, as she looked imploringly at her brother who, for the first time in her memory, had refused to join her in her game of blocks.

"Because, Alice Lou," responded the boy condescendingly, "I am too old to play with those things any more. They're all right for a kid like you, but when a fellow is nine years old he don't want to play any more with those stupid blocks and dominoes."

Alice Lou's chin quivered, but she swallowed bravely and winked back the tears as she went to her play. But instead of finishing her block house, she rested her little head on a chubby hand and tried to think it all out. What had come over John Henry? Day after day they had played together on the floor, and things had gone beautifully. John Henry had always built the houses and planned out the games. It was he who had suggested dominoes as people to live in the block house; it was he who had filled the block stable with beautiful wooden horses picked from the piles of cut window-moldings which the carpenters had left in the new houses across the way; it was he who had filled the block conservatory with mosses and lichens from the big woods. In fact, when John Henry's vivid imagination no longer gave color to the game, it was no game at all, and Alice Lou's heart was sad, and her eyes overflowed.

But John Henry was not sad. In the first place, it was his ninth birthday, and he had a brand new suit of clothes with hip pockets and suspenders. Then, too, he had found by his bedside that morning a fine new bamboo fishing rod, with a reel and a set of flies. No wonder he felt like a man, and whistled indifferently as he felt Alice Lou's reproachful eyes fastened upon him. "I guess I'll go fishing," he announced cheerfully, in all the pride of his new importance.



"Well, just weed out the pansy bed a little before you go," called his mother, "and bring in two sticks of wood."

But John Henry was already on his way to the brook and did not turn back. Of course he heard his mother, but when it is a fellow's birthday, it is no more than right that he should take a little vacation.

It was a glorious day for fishing. The deep hole under the alders was alive with great spotted trout which darted from bank to bank leaving wavy ripples on the quiet surface. One after another they snapped at John Henry's hook until not a single trout was left, for all those which were not panting and quivering on the sand, had slipped off upstream where friendly thickets offered a safer retreat. John Henry could not help thinking that being a man had its disadvantages. It was not very pleasant to tear the helpless creatures from the cruel hooks, and it was still worse to string them again on a forked stick so they could be carried safely home. But John Henry was brave and succeeded in his task so well, that at sunset he was on his way homeward with a string of speckled beauties for which many an older fisherman might have felt a righteous pride.

Alice Lou had deserted her block house and was conducting a refractory class of doll-pupils in a corner of the piazza. At the very moment of John Henry's arrival she was meting out punishment to Julius Cæsar, her brother's own rag doll, with such vigorous blows that the dilapidated hero was threatened with complete annihilation.

John Henry's eyes blazed with indignation. "You just let Julius Cæsar alone," he shouted, as he snatched the hapless pupil from the teacher's avenging hand. "He ain't your property. You can lick your own dolls."

"Huh!" jeered Alice Lou, "what do you care about dolls if you're grown up? And I guess if you was a man you'd weed your mother's flower bed when she asked you to, so there!"

John Henry ignored his sister's spiteful

thrust and marched into the house hugging his treasure close to his heart. Of course he didn't want to play with Julius Cæsar, but he wanted him taken care of. It was no sign that he should let his old playmate be abused just because he did not want to play with him any more. With a heart full of righteous indignation, John Henry carried his tattered darling to the second floor, and pried open a trap door in the ceiling which led to an unused attic. He threw Julius Cæsar up through the opening and closed the door again. "I guess Alice Lou'll have a hard time finding him," he murmured in satisfaction.

The days which followed were long ones for John Henry. It rained almost every day, and it was hard to stay in the house with nothing to do. He even looked longingly at Alice Lou's block houses, and almost wished that his pride would let him join her simple game again. But most of all he regretted the banishing of Julius Cæsar. Never since the home-made rag doll had appeared in John Henry's stocking, when he was three years old, had it been so long away from its devoted master. One day when a game of "bandits" needed Julius Cæsar as "the stolen child," John Henry threw discretion to the winds and placing a step-ladder under the attic door, he climbed up thru the opening. With eager fingers he felt about in the darkness for the familiar form, but touched only bare rafters. He groped blindly until he clutched upon something soft. Drawing it to the light, he gazed at his discovery in blank astonishment. In his hand he held the rag covering of Julius Cæsar, but it was only a shell. Thru a large hole in its back the interior organs of the doll had been removed. He was a shapeless rag. Even his smiling, painted face was mutilated and torn. In dumb horror, John Henry gazed at his treasure. At the foot of the ladder, Alice Lou danced in glee. "It's just like Bishop Hatto on the Rhine," she shouted "he's been eaten by rats. Now let's have a funeral."

Still dazed and speechless, John Henry followed his sister downstairs and passively



watched her arrangements for the ceremony. Usually, it was John Henry who managed the funerals and preached the sermon, but on this occasion it was Alice Lou who placed the shapeless form in its shoe-box coffin, and conducted the ceremony, while John Henry sat on the mourners' bench and swallowed hard. He followed the little flower-bedecked cart to a far corner of the orchard where a few tiny headboards marked the resting places of various cats, birds, and dolls. Grimly he seized a spade and dug furiously at the resisting turf. Together they lowered the little box into the grave, and replaced the sods. Then while Alice Lou arranged the flowers, John Henry fled. His heart was throbbing with a strange pain, and he had to swallow hard to choke back the sobs. He tried to whistle, but the lump in his throat shut off the sound. He seized his fishing rod and went down to the brook, but the fish would not bite, and before his eyes danced the vision of poor Julius Cæsar, torn and shapeless. In an agony of grief, John Henry flung himself face down upon the ground, and his little frame shook with sobs. In that moment when the world looked so black and his first sorrow seemed almost too great to be borne, John Henry renounced his childhood. After his paroxysm of grief, he returned to the house and put away his fishing tackle. Then he filled the wood-box and picked every weed out of the pansy bed. His mother watched him from the window, and a sad foreboding clutched at her heart. "Why the child is almost a man," she exclaimed softly. John Henry had begun to grow up.

MARION R. COLE, '15.

#### Y. M. C. A.

Last Sunday a deputation team composed of Marsden, '14, Harding, '15, J. L. Moulton, '15, Stillman, '16, and Sherman, '17, went to Lisbon Falls and held meetings in the Baptist Church in the afternoon and evening.

Because of the organ recital in the Chapel January 7, the regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was omitted.

#### GLEE CLUB CONCERTS

The college Glee and Mandolin Clubs gave a concert last week, in Gardiner and in Mechanic Falls. At Gardiner, the clubs were given a most hearty reception by a large audience that filled the Congregational Church to its full seating capacity.

Thursday night, at Mechanic Falls, another large crowd greeted the men. Many pronounced it the finest concert ever given in that town by a college club.

#### ALUMNI NOTES

At the last chapel service held in the old chapel in Hathorn Hall, Wednesday, Jan. 7, several alumni of the early classes were present. Among these were Dr. F. E. Sleeper of the class of 1867, W. E. C. Rich and L. M. Webb, both of the class of 1870; Dr. Lewis M. Palmer and Hon. A. M. Spear of 1875; Hon. O. B. Clason, 1877; and L. M. Sanborn, 1892.

1871—Hon. O. N. Hilton is counsel for the Western Federation of Miners.

1873—President James H. Baker, of the University of Colorado, has resigned his position after 22 years of service. During his administration the number of students increased from 66 to 1,306. The annual income increased from \$40,000 to \$305,000, the number of faculty from 32 to 200. The university is now one of the four colleges and universities in the Rocky Mountain and Pacific regions, ranked as Class A.

1890—Dr. H. V. Neal has this year succeeded Dr. Kingsley as head of the department of biology at Tufts College. For a number of years Dr. Neal has been professor of biology at Knox College in Galesburg, Ill. He has recently returned from Atlanta, Ga., where he attended the National Convention of Scientists and was appointed by this body one of a committee of 100 to make certain scientific researches.

1896—Ralph Leroy Thompson, a graduate from Harvard Medical School in 1900, is professor of Pathology, St. Louis University, St. Louis, Mo.

1898—Elizabeth C. Hayes is a teacher in Deering High School, Portland, Me.

1901—Harold A. M. Trickey has been a teacher in Bangor High School, Bangor, Me., since 1908.

1905—Charles Junkins is a graduate student in the department of History, Political Science and Philosophy, at Brown University.

Daisy V. Downey was married on January 1, to Mr. W. Harold Keith of Worcester, Mass., Clark University, 1905. They will be at home after January 12 at 587 Riverside Drive, New York City.



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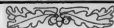
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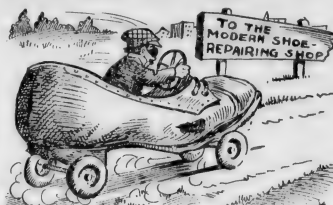
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 22

- 2.30 P.M. Sophomore Debates.
- 7.00 P.M. Spofford Club.
- 7.30 P.M. Girls' Glee Club Rehearsal.

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 23

- 4.30 P.M. Press Club.
- 7.30 P.M. Literary Societies.

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 24

- 2.30 P.M. Sophomore Debates.

### MONDAY, JANUARY 26

- 10.00 A.M. Peace Orations, Hathorn Hall.
- 4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.
- 6.45 P.M. Men's Bible Study Classes.
- 6.45 P.M. Senior Current Events Club, Rand Hall.
- 7.30 P.M. Jordan Scientific Society.

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 27

- 4.30 P.M. Orchestra Rehearsal.
- 4.45 P.M. Normal Leaders Bible Class.
- 6.45 P.M. Junior Current Events Club, Miliken and Cheney.

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28

- 6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.
- 6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.
- 7.30 P.M. Politics Club.

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 29

Day of Prayer for Colleges.

## SAMUEL S. McCLURE'S LECTURE

The fourth lecture of the George Colby Chase Course was delivered in City Hall last Friday evening by Samuel S. McClure. Altho his main theme was "The Making of a Magazine," yet before closing he gave a few interesting points on the making of an efficient government and the work of Dr. Montessori.

Mr. McClure was introduced by Prof. W. H. Hartshorn as a magazine founder, manager, editor, a publicist, and an educational expert.

Mr. McClure said that two events led to the making of McClure's Magazine. First, during his senior year at Knox College, a dis-

agreement arose as to the control of the college paper which led to its division. He was elected editor on the successful side, thereby learning that he could edit. He organized the Western College Press Association and published a pamphlet giving a history of college journalism. One of his advertisers was the Pope Manufacturing Company, which manufactured the Columbia bicycle.

The second event was his love for a certain lady, who, graduating before he, went to Boston where she had employment. Receiving no letters from her during the commencement exercises, he started for Boston after he had secured his degree.

His valise, which contained his money was stolen while visiting the young lady, and he was obliged to obtain employment. He at once decided that he wanted to work for the Pope Manufacturing Company, who had advertised in his paper. In less than six weeks, he was asked to edit a magazine for the firm, a business which occupied his time for a year and a half. From here, he and his wife went to New York where he became a member of the staff of *The Century* magazine. He was soon advised to start in business for himself. His plan was to buy stories from different authors and sell them to newspapers, located in distant parts of the country. This was a failure at first, but at the end of nine years he had \$2,700 above expenses. Altho having no capital, he determined at this time to establish McClure's Magazine. During the first year, he met with great difficulties, but with the assistance of Henry Drummond's loan of \$3,000 to bridge over the panic of 1893, and Miss Tarbell's "Life of Lincoln," which gave the magazine a large circulation, he was able to put an end to the difficulties.

Mr. McClure made a few remarks on what a magazine is, saying in brief: A magazine is really a creation subject to all the laws of art in which the editor expresses himself by utilizing the minds of others. "An editor," he



says, "is one who, in a given field is able to receive impressions and gain a knowledge of the forces in that field, and one who can present in his pages the spirit and progress of his age." He gradually secured trained writers for each field of important activities of the time. In fact, McClure introduced this kind of work. For instance, Miss Tarbell's articles on the Standard Oil cost nearly \$4,000 each.

As a result of these investigations by his trained staff, he gained a valuable knowledge on the principles of government and for the next minutes he spoke in an effective way on how to bring about an automatically honest and efficient government. He said that all successful governments were governments of the people, for the people, and by vote of electors. This board of electors, he intimated, must have the power to elect the president or other higher officials.

Mr. McClure referred to the German form of city government and cited as a specific illustration the city of Frankfort. Here, the people vote once in six years for their councilmen, and for the men they think fitted for the place. The mayor and his twelve trained assistants are there for life, and do far better work than our own city officials.

In criticism of American government, he said in part, that it is our unworkable electoral system that gives us our unworkable system of governments. He attributed the great number of our upheavals and violences to the government, which in many cases is controlled by unskilled people and trickery in Politics. He remarked that he was surprised, in his investigations, to learn what real strength the saloon men and other crooks possessed. They are experts in office for life, not for two or three years. Our government, buried in details and intricate machinery, provides loopholes for the expert. Our government must be made up of experts, who can cope with Tammany Hall and the like, since the strongest power always governs. He remarked that our commission form of government is the nearest we can come to the ideal of efficient government for a while, at least.

Before closing, Mr. McClure made a few fitting remarks on the educational work of Dr. Montessori. In brief, he said that she had brought to light a simple, common sense principle. In her method of teaching, great importance and responsibility rest with the teacher, since the improvement of the race must begin with the child.

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#### DAY OF PRAYER FOR COLLEGES

Among the traditions that have been handed down to us from our predecessors is the one that has set apart the 29th of January as a day of devotion for college men and women all over the country.

Perhaps, during the lapse of years since the origin of the movement many religious doctrines have received a broader interpretation; but along with the new spirit of toleration for the personal religion of the other fellow has come the realization that devotion, the looking up to the Infinite, is a necessity for the full development of every spiritual self. To one who takes even this attitude the program which has been arranged will prove to be most helpful.

#### PROGRAM

- 9.00 A.M. Class Prayer Meetings
  - Seniors in Y. M. C. A. Room
  - Juniors in Polymnia Room
  - Sophomores in Piæria Room
  - Freshmen in Eurosophia Room
- 9.45 A.M. Exercises of Day of Prayer
  - Sermon; by some distinguished speaker
- 4 P.M. Vesper Services
  - Organ Recital: Miss Wells of the Pine Street Congregational Church
- 7 P.M. Evening Service
  - It is hoped that the speaker of the morning will give an address along the line of the "Social Message of Christianity."

#### NEEDLE CLUB

The Bates Needle Club was pleasantly entertained last Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. F. Boothby. The next meeting will be at Rand Hall, with Miss Buswell and Miss Fitz as hostesses.



## SPOFFORD CLUB LECTURE

Friday night, at 5.30, the Spofford Club members were privileged in listening to a short address by Mr. S. S. McClure on "How to Write." Mr. McClure spoke briefly and informally upon the qualifications of a good writer, from the editorial standpoint. The first statement was to the effect that a short story writer must be born and not made. There is little to be gained, says Mr. McClure, from studying how to write the short story. As to other articles, aim for the objective. General assertions are absolutely valueless. The first aim of the writer should be accuracy, which is gained only from a thorough knowledge of the subject. Equally necessary is charm, which depends upon the individuality of the writer. Force and fire are essential to the success of an article. The writer should have in mind, not the words he is putting on the paper, but the effect he wishes to produce on his reader. A thorough training is necessary to produce the skilled writer. Practice in newspaper reporting is of great value. Mastery of etymology and Greek and Latin derivatives is especially helpful. Absolute honesty and truth are the marks of the successful writer.

## LOCALS

At a recent meeting of the class of 1911 a committee was elected to make preparations for a class social to be held at an early date. Mr. Kennedy was elected captain of the 1916 Hockey team.

At the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. January 14th, Johnson and Cushman gave a report of the convention at Kansas City.

The members of the Girls' Glee and Mandolin Clubs are making preparations for the annual concert which will soon be given.

The first and only number of the "Bates Vitascope" will be issued at the publishing house, Rand Hall, on Saturday evening, January 24, 1914. In order to secure a copy, be there at 8 o'clock sharp. Subscription price, 10 cents.

The topic to be discussed at the next meeting of the Politics Club, January 28th, is "Socialism."

Owing to the lecture given by Samuel McClure at City Hall, no society meetings were held, Friday evening.

The Y. W. C. A. meeting this week was led by Miss Fitz and Miss Jewell. A duet was sung by Misses Newman and Richmond, then the Association News Committee gave their report.

The New Hampshire Club has not held a meeting for several weeks.

The Current Events Clubs met at their regular times this week and several topics of interest were taken up.

Miss Gladys Merrill, '15, has returned to college after an illness of several weeks.

Professor Ramsdell, who has been ill for several days, is now able to meet his classes.

Mr. Ernest A. Elwell, who entered Bates last fall as a special student, is confined at his home in West Buxton, with a severe attack of appendicitis.

The engagement of George F. Conklin, Bates, 1912, to Miss Hazel Cummings of Portland, has been announced. Mr. Conklin is employed as a chemist in New Jersey.

## HOCKEY

For the first time in the history of the college a game of hockey was played, Jan. 19, 1914, between the Seniors and Freshmen. The game was held on the rink back of Parker Hall. The Seniors won by the close score of 1-0. Tomblen, Tabor and Drumm played a spectacular game for the Seniors. S. Davis and Kerr were the shining lights of the freshman team. A lively interest has been aroused in this new sport and a committee is now at work arranging a schedule for a series of interclass games.

The line-up was as follows:

<i>Seniors</i>	<i>Freshmen</i>
Drumm, l.w.....r.w.,	Pedbereznak
P. Cobb, c.....c.,	R. Purinton
Tomblen, r.....r.,	Kerr
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In this progressive age in which we live, too often we neglect the ethical side of life, and look rather to the material. Tradition, however, has handed down to the present student generation the annual day of prayer for colleges. This is a day in which the institutions of our land act with one accord. It is the day set apart for quiet meditation, a pause in the general routine of college work.

The observance of the day of prayer at Bates, has been a feature of the college year from its very beginning. The past has handed down to us this tradition, maintained under circumstances less favorable, but with a spirit we would do well to imitate. The preparation for such an occasion is important. Begin the day by attending class prayer meeting. Make the services of the day of personal value, by your presence.

We owe it to the past, it is demanded by the present and future, that we maintain and establish in reality this universal custom.

During the spring of 1912 the faculty devised a plan to organize a baseball league. Several teams were made up men not included on the varsity or second team, without regard to class distinction. To each member of the winning team a cup was awarded as a trophy by an alumnus of the college. The plan met with success the first season and was resumed with more enthusiasm the next. It has furnished recreation and suitable exercise for all men who had otherwise neglected this important part of their college life, especially, after the discontinuance of the gymnasium work.

A new feature of college activity is being agitated with much interest. The possibility of introducing ice hockey at Bates has been brought to the notice of the faculty. It is suggested to flood the field behind Parker Hall. This would provide an excellent rink for such a sport. With this accomplished, would it not be possible to organize under a plan similar to that pursued by our baseball league?

The organizing of sports in this manner is becoming popular in several of the larger colleges. Its value is manifested by bringing in contact with each other, a large number of men from the four classes. This promotes unity thruout the student body, at the same time providing a means for outdoor exercise.

Owing to the extra expense of publishing a weekly paper, the business manager wishes to announce to the alumni, that the names of all those whose subscriptions are not paid by February first will be dropped from his subscription list.

## SPOFFORD CLUB SNOWSHOE PARTY

Members of the Spofford Club enjoyed a delightful snowshoe tramp up the Androscoggin last Thursday evening. After several hours of snowshoeing, the party visited the home of Miss Edith Adams, where a delicious lunch of oyster stew, pickles, olives, cocoa, and cake was served. In the party were Misses Adams, Sanborn, Sylvester, Durgan, Bryant, Lougee, Connor, and McCann; Messrs. Warren, Hill, Packard and Woodman. Mr. Baird and Mrs. Blanche Roberts chaperoned the party.



## THE ARCHITECTURE AND THE DECORATION OF THE NEW CHAPEL

(This is the address as delivered by J. R. Coolidge, Jr., at the dedication of the new chapel.)

*Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen:*

It is an act of gracious courtesy on the part of the President and Faculty of Bates College to permit upon this happy occasion a few words from the architects of this chapel to interpret their design and suggest the artistic significance of their work.

Architecture has been well defined as "building with feeling," and of building let it be said that the intelligent use of building materials to serve practical ends during a considerable length of time is older than the pyramids. The honest and workmanlike use of materials is found even in prehistoric ages and continues, fortunately, down to the present day.

The evolution of building consists mainly in the employment of a much greater variety of materials, in the use of a far greater proportion of manufactured products—such as steel, glass or clay, and in the better economy of material and of workmanship,—so that the actual cost of enclosing a given space is probably lower to-day in terms of day labor than ever before.

If the buildings constructed by modern methods are less permanent than those of bygone times, it must be remembered that people's needs are enlarging and changing more rapidly at present than ever before, and buildings become antiquated before they are worn out. The schoolhouse, the factory, and the office building of to-day are essentially different from those of thirty years ago, and the fashion and materials of dwelling houses are completely altered. It is reasonable, then, to look upon most buildings of a utilitarian type not as *monuments*, nor as makeshifts, but as semi-permanent appliances that ought to be superseded for the most part in from thirty to fifty years.

When, however, we deal with the more spiritual works of architecture we find embodied in them a higher quality of building, and a nobler kind of feeling. The best ma-

terials and the most careful construction we can afford are appropriate in a memorial that is intended to stand for centuries.

The characteristic expression of the house of Christian worship is the same to-day—and rightly—as in the thirteenth century. At that period the master workmen of western Europe brought the Gothic style of church architecture to its culminating point, both of construction and decoration. The further development of the style continued in secular and especially in collegiate buildings through the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries, and in England almost until the seventeenth century.

Then followed a period of two hundred years and more during which Gothic architecture was out of date, out of keeping with the current interests and the philosophies of the day. In the nineteenth century, however, the so-called romantic movement in literature and the awakening of the social conscience sought expression in a revival of Gothic architecture. This revival gaining strength—first in England and later (about the middle of the last century) finding acceptance in this country—has made the Gothic style dominant in the ecclesiastical art of all English-speaking lands. It extends its influence over collegiate, scholastic and even over commercial buildings.

It is not found inconsistent with the artificial materials, steel, manufactured stone and terra cotta, that enter so largely into all prominent buildings at the present time. It must be admitted, however, that the Gothic architecture of to-day is an architecture reminiscent of the composition and decoration of Gothic designs from the thirteenth to the sixteenth century, and that the characteristic feature of Gothic construction—the Gothic vault, with its balanced thrusts taken up by piers and flying buttresses—is almost never used. In the language of to-day, it is not practical. It may be added that conscientious architects dislike to imitate it in lath and plaster.

This chapel is an example of the English Collegiate Gothic style of the early sixteenth century, executed in the seam-faced granite characteristic of New England, and decorated by a free use of traditional details shaped according to the taste of to-day.

The outer form of this building, with its end gables, the four corner turrets and the main porch, were suggested by King's College



Chapel, Cambridge, England, and the rectangular plan is from the same source. In all other respects, proportions, materials and decoration, this building is as nearly independent and as nearly original as a building in a conventional style for a usual purpose can be. With its setting of over-arching trees, its wide porches, its easy approaches, it extends an invitation and a welcome to the college and to the city, to town and gown.

The interior, devoid of vaulting, has, however, a genuine timbered roof in which the rafters (tho not the trusses) are open and undisguised. The interior detail has received the most careful study and we trust will deserve commendation both for design and workmanship, for the workmanship, at least, is masterly.

Let the young people who gather here take time to study the pulpit, with its running ornament of vine and its panels displaying in various forms the emblem of our Christian faith, the decorations of the chancel, the seats and canopies and screen of carved oak, the window with leaded glass hardly surpassed by that of any earlier age. Let them pick out the symbols of the four Evangelists; the Lamb, which is the appropriate center of the composition; and the emblem of the Church Universal, the cross in a circle. Above all let them take note of the chancel ceiling, enriched with the figures of the twelve Apostles going forth to spread the word in all nations, as the young men and women who worship in this place can spread it by thought, speech and deed wherever they may be.

Of peculiar interest are two slender figures enriched in the screen at either end of the Lord's Table, Augustine of Hippo and Thomas Aquinas.

Augustine, Bishop of Hippo, the greatest of the four great Fathers of the Latin Church, lived from 354 to 430 A.D. Born at Tagaste in Numidia of a pagan father and a Christian mother, he was baptized at an early age but grew to manhood without any profession of Christianity. A man of passionate, sensuous nature, wild in his youth, he was, nevertheless, an earnest student and became a ripe scholar. After studying and teaching at Tagaste and Carthage, he went in 383 to Rome thence to Milan and under the influence of Bishop Ambrose and other Christians he embraced Christianity in 386.

After his return to Africa he devoted his life to the Church both by teaching and writing. He became Bishop of Hippo in 396 and died in 30 during a siege of the town by the Vandals.

St. Thomas Aquinas,—born about 1227, near Naples. Educated at Monte Cassino and University of Naples. Studied philosophy and theology at Cologne and later at Paris. In controversy between University of Paris and the Friar-Preachers as to liberty of teaching, he successfully defended his order before the Pope. In 1257 was made doctor of theology. From this time on "his life was one of incessant toil," lecturing, teaching and preaching in London, Rome, Bologna, Paris. Died on his way to a council at Lyons in 1274. Canonized 1323. His writings maintain two sources of knowledge, revelation and reason; distinct, but both from God.

These are the types of Christian scholarship! Their presence here should help to recall the greatness of the Church Universal.

These decorative details are designed to create the atmosphere of rest, meditation and prayer. These traditional forms breathe the spirit of ages of devotion. May it be said of this temple, "This is the House of God; this is the Gate of Heaven." May it invite young and old to worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness, and direct men's thoughts to the life everlasting.

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#### TRACK

Two-lap trials were run off Friday, Jan. 16, '14. The best time was made by Small, '15, who ran the distance in 29 2-5 seconds. The order of the next five men was as follows: Captain Nevers, 30 seconds; Kennedy, 30 3-5; Syrene, 31 1-5; Snow, 31 1-5; Boyd, 31 1-5. A number of other trials of different distances will be held before the final selection of the relay team to compete in the B. A. A. meet.

March 12, 1914, has been settled upon as the date for the interclass indoor meet in city hall. At this meet the Bates and Bowdoin Freshmen will run the usual relay race, and March 20, 1914, the freshman relay team will run against Bowdoin's freshmen at Brunswick.

#### ALUMNI NOTES

1892—Ernest Earle Osgood is rector of Emanuel Church, Brooks Hill, Henrico Co., Virginia.

1894—Rev. A. J. Marsh has recently entered on his duties as pastor of the Free Baptist Church in Portland, Me.

1898—Ralph Hermon Tukey, A.B., Harvard, 1900; A.M., Harvard, 1901; Ph.D., Yale, 1906, is professor of Greek, William Jewell College, Liberty, Mo.

1899—Edmund B. Tetley has been pastor of the Free Baptist Church of Topsham, Me., since 1908.

George William Thomas is a lawyer in New York City, located at 100 Broadway.

1904—Grave Violet Thompson is an assistant in the High School at Hartford, Ct.

1906—Frederick L. Thurston is principal of North Attleborough High School, North Attleborough, Mass.

1907—Walter P. Vining is practising law in New York City.

Alice Rose Quimby is an assistant in the High School at Portland, Me.

Harold I. Frost and Mrs. Frost (Miss Mabel Schererhorn, 1908) are connected with the Balasore Station of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society at Balasore, India.

1908—Daniel R. Hodgdon is head of the department of science in the State Normal School at Newark, N. J.

1909—December 25 occurred the death of Kenneth Floyd Holman, the three months' old son of Wallace F. Holman and Alta Brush Holman, both of the class of 1909.

1911—Charles R. Clason, recently appointed Rhodes Scholar from Maine, will enter upon his course at Oxford next October. He is to graduate from the Georgetown University Law School next summer.

Horace Franklin Turner is principal of Mitchell School, North Woodbury, Conn.

Arthur Tebbetts is a student at Yale University, Department of Music.

Waldo V. Andrews is a teacher in the high school at Pawtucket, R. I.

1913—Miss Elizabeth E. Doughty was married on January 10 to George H. Lidback, superintendent of carriers in the Portland post office. They will make their home at 78 Fessenden Street, Portland.




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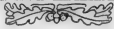
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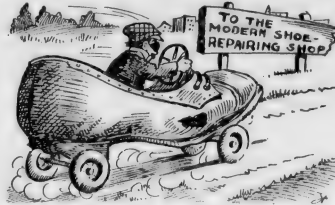
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 29

#### Day of Prayer for Colleges

- 9.00 A.M. Class Prayer Meetings.  
9.45 A.M. Exercises of Day of Prayer.  
Sermon by Rev. Howard J. Chiply.  
4.00 P.M. Vesper Service, Organ Recital  
Miss Wells of the Pine St. Congrega-  
tional Church.  
7.00 P.M. Evening Service.  
Address by Rev. H. J. Chiply.

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 30

- 4.30 P.M. Press Club.  
4-6 P.M. First Trials for  
7-9 P.M. Varsity Debate.  
7.30 P.M. Literary Society.

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2

- 1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.45 P.M. Men's Bible Study Classes.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current  
Events Club.

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3

- 6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Currents  
Events Club.

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4

- 8.00 A.M. Mid-year examinations begin.

## EXAMINATIONS FEB. 4-11, 1914

### SENIORS

- Astronomy, Wed., Feb. 4, 1.30 P.M., Latin  
Room.  
Chemistry (adv.), Feb. 7, 8 A.M., Chem.  
Lab.  
Chemistry 5, Feb. 9, 8 A.M., Chem. Lab.  
Education, Feb. 5, 1.30 P.M., Phil. Room.  
Eng. Lit., Feb. 11, 8 A.M., Eng. and Phil.  
Rooms.  
French 7, 9, 11, Feb. 6, 1.30 P.M., Eng.  
Room.

- Geol. 1, Feb. 6, 8 A.M., R. W. H.  
Geol. 3, Feb. 9, 1.30 P.M., Geol. Lab.  
German 7, Feb. 4, 8 A.M., Hist. Room.  
Government, Feb. 10, 1.30 P.M., Hist.  
Room.  
Greek, Feb. 4, 8 A.M., Phil. Room.  
History, Feb. 4, 1.30 P.M., History Room.  
Hist. Religion, Feb. 7, 8 A.M., R. W. H.  
Latin 5, Feb. 10, 8 A.M., Latin Room.  
Math. 7, Feb. 5, 8 A.M., Math. Room.  
Philosophy, Feb. 10, 1.30 P.M., Latin  
Room.  
Physics 8, Feb. 6, 1.30 P.M., Phy. Lab.  
Psychology, Feb. 10, 8 A.M., Phil. Room.  
Scient. German, Feb. 7, 1.30 P.M., Latin  
Room.  
Sociology, Feb. 9, 1.30 P.M., Phil. Room.  
Spanish 3, Feb. 10, 1.30 P.M., Geol. Lab.  
Teachers' Hist., Feb. 7, 1.30 P.M., Hist.  
Room.  
Vert. Anatomy, Feb. 10, 8 A.M., Biol. Lab.  
Zool. (11), Feb. 4, 8 A.M., Biol. Lab.

### JUNIORS

- Chem. 3, Feb. 4, 8 A.M., Chem. Lab.  
Economics, Feb. 9, 8 A.M., R. W. H.  
Eng. 6, Feb. 7, 8 A.M., Eng. Phil. Math.  
Fine Arts, Feb. 9, 8 A.M., Phil. Room.  
French 7, 9, 11, Feb. 6, 1.30 P.M., Eng.  
Room.  
Geol. 1, Feb. 6, 8 A.M., R. W. H.  
German 5, Feb. 5, 1.30 P.M., Hist. Room.  
Greek, Feb. 4, 8 A.M., Phil. Room.  
Hebrew, Feb. 9, 1.30 P.M., R. W. H.  
Hist. 7, Feb. 5, 8 A.M., Hist. Room.  
Latin 5, Feb. 10, 8 A.M., Hist. Room.  
Math. 5, Feb. 11, 8 A.M., Math. Room.  
Prot. Ref., Feb. 10, 8 A.M., R. W. H.  
Spanish 3, Feb. 10, 1.30 P.M., Geol. Lab.  
Zool. 3, Feb. 9, 1.30 P.M., Biol. Lab.  
Chem. 1, Feb. 6, 8 A.M., Chem. Lab.  
Eng. Arg., Feb. 4, 1.30 P.M., Eng. Phil.  
Math.

### SOPHOMORES

- French 3, Feb. 5, 8 A.M., Eng. Rom.  
German 1, Feb. 10, 8 A.M., R. W. H.  
Ger. (Soph. Adv.), Feb. 6, 1.30 P.M., Hist.  
Room.  
Greek, Feb. 4, 8 A.M., Phil. Room.  
Hygiene, Feb. 11, 8 A.M., R. W. H.  
Latin 3, Feb. 5, 1.30 P.M., Lat. Room.



Med. Hist., Feb. 9, 8 A.M., Hist. Room.  
 Oratory, Feb. 10, 1.30 P.M., R. W. H.  
 Oriental Hist., Feb. 7, 8 A.M., R. W. H.  
 Physics 2, 4, Feb. 5, 1.30 P.M., Phy. Lab.  
 Sanitation, Feb. 7, 1.30 P.M., R. W. H.  
 Zool. 1, Feb. 5, 8 A.M., Biol. Lab.

## FRESHMEN

English, Feb. 9, 8 A.M., Eng. Phil. Math.  
 French 1, 3, Feb. 5, 8 A.M., Eng. Room.  
 French 5, Feb. 9, 1.30 P.M., R. W. H.  
 German 1, Feb. 10, 8 A.M., R. W. H.  
 Greek, Feb. 4, 8 A.M., Phil. Room.  
 Latin, Feb. 7, 1.30 P.M., Eng. Phil. Room.  
 Math., Feb. 10, 1.30 P.M., Math. Eng.  
 Room.  
 Physiology A, Feb. 4, 1.30 P.M., R. W. H.  
 Physiology B, Feb. 5, 1.30 P.M., R. W. H.

## "BATES VITASCOPE"

At Fiske Room on Saturday evening was brought out the first copy of the "Bates Vitascope," or "Bates Living Picture." The affair was under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. and its success was largely due to the work of the social committee.

From the dainty cupid cover to the very last advertisement, the magazine was a great success. All the illustrations and advertising cuts were presented in tableaux form and were introduced and commented upon by Misses Sylvester, King, and Kane. An original poem written by Mr. Hill and a charming story by Miss Durgin formed the literary features. The illustrated advertisements were especially attractive. Local color was given to the magazine by the judicious use of "slams" on both faculty and students.

After the magazine had been thoroughly reviewed and appreciated, a social evening was enjoyed and the candy booth well patronized.

## LITERARY SOCIETIES

Polymnia observed Junior night with the following program:

Grand Medley	
Reading	Florence Hooper, '15
Vocal Solo	Gertrude Merrill, '15
Reading	Geneva Page, '15

Old Fashioned Quartette: Matilda Bradford, May Roberts, '15; Betsey Ross, Francis Bryant, '15; Obediah Simpkins, Kenneth

Witham, '15; Samuel von Eiftnstein, Elmer O. Small.

Medley of College and Popular Songs.

Eurosophia's program included: Mandolin duet, Miss Morey, '14, Miss Wandtke, '15; Violin Solo, Miss Wandtke, '14; Mandolin Duet, Miss Morey, '14, Miss Wandtke, '14.

## Contest

B-A-P      L-A-P      N-A-P

The Piærian Society members enjoyed the following mirth provoking debate on the question: "*Resolved*, That the researches of the nineteenth century have proved that the earth is flat."

*Affirmative*

Mr. Cloutman, '16  
 Mr. Mansfield, '15

*Negative*

Mr. Hamilton, '14  
 Mr. Gustin, '15

The judges, Mr. Green, '16, and Mr. Fuller, '15, awarded the decision in favor of the affirmative.

## THE PEACE ORATIONS

Last Monday morning, at 10 o'clock, the Peace Orations were delivered in the old chapel in Hathorn Hall. Prizes of fifteen and ten dollars were offered for first and second place in the local contest. The program was as follows:

Selection	Orchestra
Prayer	Rev. A. T. Salley
College Men and International Peace	Roy Packard, '14
Peace and Justice	E. L. Sexton, '15
Decision of the Judges	

Mr. Roy Packard was awarded the first prize, and he will represent Bates in the state contest, which will be held about the middle of April, at Bangor, under the auspices of the University of Maine. Maine, Colby, and Bates will meet in this contest, Bowdoin not having selected any speaker.

## LOCALS

During the absence of Mr. Barrow, who was the accompanist on the musical clubs trip, the chapel organ has been played by Mr. Arthur Pettengill, organist at Trinity Episcopal church, Miss Wells of the Pine Street Congre-



gational Church, Mr. Selden Crafts of the State Street Church, Portland, and Professor Robinson.

Stanley R. Oldham has been most cordially welcomed at the Maine Central Institute by both students and townspeople. Last Thursday evening, the Senior class gave him a reception in Powers Hall to express their appreciation.

The 1915 resident girls entertained the Freshmen resident girls Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Helen Hertell. Feature games and contests of the evening were the Musical Romance, the Walnut Contest and the College Romance. The refreshments included: Creamed chicken, cocoa, cake, candy and fruits. Those invited were Misses Ethel Chayer, Bertha Dresser, Harriett French, Aileen Lougee, Julia McCann, Ruth Rollins, Marian Wellman, Esther Wills.

"Socialism," one of the vital problems of the present age, was discussed at the meeting of the Politics Club last night.

Chef Kierstead, who takes the place of Chef Voyer, began his duties at the Commons last Sunday morning.

The Current Events Clubs met at the usual time this week.

The Y. W. C. A. Meeting this week was led by Miss Curtis, assisted by Miss Murphy, '16. The topic "Christian Essentials" proved very interesting.

Last Saturday afternoon from three to five. Misses Rideout and Tilton, '15, entertained their Bible Study Classes with an informal chocolate.

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### FOOTBALL

The schedule for 1914 is as follows:

September 26, Harvard, at Cambridge.

October 3, Tufts, at Medford.

October 10, Worcester Polytechnic Institute at Lewiston, pending.

October 17, N. H. State, at Lewiston.

October 24, U. of M. at Lewiston.

October 31, Bowdoin at Brunswick.

November 7, Colby, at Waterville.

November 21, Trinity, at Hartford, Conn.

Prospects are bright for a successful season next fall. Although in this year's

graduating class we will lose several good men who have made a name for themselves in football since entering college, yet there will be twelve "B" men left. And already Captain Moore has received encouraging reports from leading "prep" school players who are contemplating entering Bates next fall.

There is a possibility of Coach Greene's returning for another season. His splendid work as field-coach greatly helped the team and everyone is eager to see him return.

The first game and undoubtedly the hardest, will be played with Harvard at Cambridge. Bates should consider herself very fortunate in having Harvard upon her schedule this year, for a new rule has recently been laid down at Harvard, that she should not play smaller colleges. We are the only small college upon her schedule in New England.

Two new teams will be seen upon Bates' 1914 schedule, Worcester Polytechnic Institute and Trinity.

The final game of the year closes, two weeks after the Maine series, with Trinity at Hartford, Conn., where the men will break training.

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### BASEBALL

Baseball practice for the freshman candidates will be suspended until after the mid-year examinations. Soon after February 12th this squad will be cut, and the candidates from the three upper classes, including the seven members of last year's team, will be called out to begin work in the cage.

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### TRACK

Although no final trials have as yet been run, the men who will make the B. A. A. relay team have been narrowed down to Capt. Nevers, Small, '15, Syrene, '16, Boyd, '16, and Kennedy, '16. This race, which comes February 7th at Boston, is for the championship of Maine. Capt. Nevers and Small may also run the forty-yard dash at this meet.



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## To the Editor of the Student:

If the Michigan-Northwestern debate of this year was a fair example of the type of debating prevalent among the colleges of the Middle West, the writer believes that Bates not only has the best debating record in the United States (figured on a percentage basis), but that she could hold her own in the best leagues in the country. This debate was held at the Michigan end of the Central Debating League, of which Chicago, Michigan, and Northwestern are members. For the first time in history, Professor Tineblood's men lost both debates, while Northwestern took the championship by winning both. Michigan's record in debate is now twenty-nine out of forty-three debates. In the debate at Ann Arbor neither side, in my opinion, excelled to an appreciable degree in the value of matter

presented, while in form Northwestern was at all times the superior. In thorough-going analysis and collection of evidence, the Central West could learn much from the Bates system. In methods of presentation, Bates should take a few lessons from this debate. In the main speech, each of the last five speakers spent from three to five minutes in running rebuttal. At no time has Bates sent whole teams onto the platform, who could do this, and the few individuals who have attempted it in recent years, lacked the facility of the men I heard in this debate. Little of this rebuttal could have been done on the spur of the moment. Training before the debate and not sheer ability, did it. The last rebuttal did not show good team work, although the individual rebuttals were the best I ever heard.

In conclusion, I believe that Bates should continue that system of depth of analysis and research, that has been exemplified in the work of such able Coaches as President Chase, Professors Hartshorn, Foster, Spofford, and Carrol. The thorough-going rebuttal practice introduced by Mr. Oldham should be extended and great emphasis laid upon team work and unity in rebuttal; and finally, Professor Robinson should be given more than one week, in which to put on the final polish. Professor Robinson's work stands comparison with the best in the country. Bates is very fortunate to have kept him so long as she has, and the student body would do well to take advantage in every way possible of his experience and ability. Form won for Northwestern the two to one decision, and the lack of it has been the cause of the few defeats at Bates. Finally Bates must learn that the main part of the audience, as well as the judges, are entitled to considerations.

1913.



## A CONSOLATION PRIZE

Rol threw down his racquet and sprawled out comfortably on the grass.

"I don't care if she is your cousin, Dick Brown," he said angrily,—I had just beaten him at tennis,—"I think you might let me take Gwendolyn part of the time. You know she'd much rather go with me."

"A lot she had! Why don't she, then?" I responded, contemptuously. "Because you always butt in and ask her first. When my cousin came visiting me, didn't I let you go with her?"

"Yes! So good of you!" sarcastically. "Wasn't she sweet, Rod?" I demanded of Roderick Loudon. "So generous of Rod to share her, wasn't it?"

"Oh! you fellows make me tired!" burst forth Rod. "You've compared cousins, contrasted cousins, extolled cousins, and depreciated cousins. Why don't you make a treaty of some sort, each agreeing to let the other's cousin alone? Here you've wasted half the afternoon already, disputing as to which of you shall take Gwendolyn to the theatre and what have you gained by it?"

"That's right, too, Rod," I exclaimed; "What has he gained by it? Gwen promised me this morning—"

"Well, anyway, that's what I call blamed mean," broke in Rol, "when you knew how I'd planned to take her to 'The Duke's Secret'—What are you laughing at, Rod?"

"Oh, nothing, why don't you fellows play for her? The one that wins the set, takes her to the play."

"Agreed!" exclaimed Rol. "Come, Dick, what do you say? Does it go?"

"What d'you think!" said I, "after I've asked Gwen to go with me, how'd I look to sneak off by my lonesome and let you take her to the show?"

"Oh! you could fix it up with her. Come, be a sport and give a fellow a chance."

"By all fair rights Gwen goes with me," I said with as much dignity as I could command. "But as I can beat you at tennis with

one hand, if you want a game, I'm willing to play."

"Done!" shouted Rol. "Here, Rod, stay and see fair play."

"Can't, I've done arbitrating enough for one day. Good luck to both of you," and he mounted his bike with a chuckle that suggested satisfaction.

"Let's see, Dick," said Rol; "it's half-past four and we'd have to hit the seven-thirty car to get in town in time for the show. I've got a lot to do so we'd better begin right away. I say, tho; it's mighty good of you to give me this chance. Now that Rod's gone, I don't mind telling you that she's the only girl for me and always will be."

I took the hand he extended and was about to tell him that he had expressed my sentiments exactly, when he looked over my shoulder and his face fell. "Bosh! Here come Helen and that Rhodes girl." Helen is Rol's sister. "Can they play?" I asked.

"Heaven knows; anyway, they'll want to."

"Let's be playing; perhaps they won't like to butt in."

"You don't know Helen," he responded; "Still we might try."

Rol had first caught sight of them through the trees in the bend of the road, so we had plenty of time to start the game before they appeared on the scene. He chose court and I served. The count was love 15 when the girls came up.

"What's the count?" demanded Helen.

"Love-15," I said.

"Just beginning a game?"

"Yes," growled Rol.

"Playing for anything?" suggested Grace.

"Cigars," lied I cheerfully.

"Why, Roderick Perkins Quinn!" exclaimed Helen. "And you know what Mama said when she found that dirty pipe in your pocket! And you, too, Dick Brown! I know your mother doesn't want you to smoke. Come now! Begin all over again. Make it chocolates and let us play, too. I'm just dying for a game."

Rol looked at me and I at him. I knew and he knew, if we didn't let those girls play, just what would happen. We'd been caught smoking before, ever since we were fourteen,



and the novelty had all worn off long ago. It wasn't punishment we feared; it was exhortations, tears, sermons and prayers. If I hadn't been such a fool, I might have said chocolates in the first place and Helen would have been content to wait for the end of the set in hope of sharing the spoils. But I had thought I was smart to think of something that girls wouldn't want, and here we were in a pickle. I looked at Rol again.

"I won't play with Helen," he growled.

"Nobody wants him to, darling," retorted his sister, sweetly. "I guess Dick isn't so mean but he'll let me play with him. Go over in the sty, Grace, dear. Don't be afraid. Piggy won't eat you. I pity you, tho. He doesn't know the first thing about tennis."

Gee! but those girls could play tennis all right! I'd always shared Rol's opinion of Helen and you know a brother's opinion is frank, to say the least. But after half an hour on the court, I couldn't help noticing what a dandy girl she is. Of course she isn't a peaches-and-cream beauty like Gwendolyn; but when she serves she drives the ball right into the court; most girls paw it into the net. As I said before, the girls were great players. We played deuce games all along; I thought we'd never get through. At last the set stood deuce; then six-seven, in our favor; it was Helen's turn to serve.

Seven-six love all!" she called. Grace received; she drove the ball into the net.

"Fifteen-love." Rol returned the ball, but I managed to get it over the net, where he missed it, and stood looking dumbly at his racquet.

"Hole there?" inquired Helen derisively. "Thirty-love," Grace made a splendid return just out of reach of Helen's racquet.

"Thirty-fifteen," and the game went on until it stood at deuce. Helen served to Grace, who missed. "Never mind, Grace," said Rol, winking at me; if we lose, what do you say to the theatre to-night as a consolation prize?"

"Oh, that would be lovely!" gushed Grace.

"I think that ought to go for first prize," observed Helen.

"There's a first prize up, already," said Rol, whereat we both burst out laughing.

"Well, I don't see anything funny in that," said Helen, raising her racquet. "Advantage in," she called.

"Again." The ball landed squarely on the line; Rol by some miracle returned it. Helen volleyed the ball straight at Grace. She missed and the game was ours.

"I'll bring you the chocolates to-night," promised Rol, as we set out towards home.

"I know you'll have a great time at the 'Duke's Secret!' Merle Burrowes says its awfully good," hinted Helen.

I hurried into the house and met Mother on the hall stairs. "Where's Gwendolyn?" I asked.

"Why she got all ready and waited and waited for you. She wanted to do some shopping, and as Roderick Loudon happened in just then and offered to escort her—"

"Fudge," I exclaimed, "the miserable skunk."

I bolted for the Quinns—they live two doors below us. Rol was in the woodshed, polishing his pumps. He started as I came in. "What's up?"

"Rol, that miserable pirate of a Rod Loudon has got ahead of us and taken Gwen to the show!" Rol sat down on the chopping block in astonishment. "Well! of all things, Dick Brown!" he exclaimed; "what are you going to do?"

"Where's Helen?" I demanded. Just then Helen appeared at the kitchen door. "Say, Helen," I blurted, "will you go to the theatre with me to-night?"

"Why, yes," she assented, "I'd like very much to go."

F. HILL, '14.

## DEBATING

The preliminary contest for selecting the intercollegiate debaters will be held in Roger Williams Hall on Friday afternoon and evening, January 30. The question for debate is: *Resolved*, That judicial decisions upon constitutional questions should be subject to recall by popular vote.



Every Bates student is eligible and each one who enters will help to make the contest more representative of our present debating standard.

The question used for the preliminary contest was presented to us by Tufts. The negative has been selected and our varsity team will uphold that side against Tufts on April 24.

On the same date, we meet Colgate. By winning this debate with Colgate, we add another series to the, thus far, perfect record. We can trust those who represent us to do their best, and in turn—they ask for our support.

#### MAN'S HERITAGE

Long, in the solemn night, to walk, to think!  
Low hangs the pale, round moon and countless stars,

Each but a candle but each giving light  
To each; lamps to the earth below,  
Which idle lies, and lets its mortals rest,  
Toil-wearied.

How beautiful—to live!  
To gaze afar at yon flecked eastern sky.  
And, then, to see appear the growing light  
Of early morn, while cloud-mist floats away,  
Leaving the mountain rocks to reflect the light  
Of new-born day, while much of color comes  
To sight, and all the earth wakes with a song.

#### Envoi

And everything—to work!  
All which speaks this: "Oh! It is grand!—to work."

LAWRENCE C. WOODMAN.

#### JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

The regular meeting of the Society was held last Monday evening. Clapp read a paper on "The Signs Behind Ghosts," and Higgins one on "The House Fly."

#### ALUMNI NOTES

At the recent Student Volunteer Convention in Kansas City, Mo., the Bates delegates were entertained by Bates alumni; Mr. Johnson and Mr. Cushman, at the home of Ernest H. Farrar, 1880, a prominent architect in Kansas City, and Miss Wadsworth, at the home of Frederick J. Chase, 1981, a successful lawyer in that city.

Among the Bates alumni present at the Student Volunteer Convention were Miss Elizabeth S. Perkins, 1905, Oliver Cutts, 1896, and Guy Von Aldrich, 1907. Miss Perkins has just returned from Foochow, China, where she has spent the last five years as missionary for the Congregational Society of America. She expects to visit Bates within a few weeks. Oliver Cutts is Alumni Secretary of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Aldrich holds the position of State Student Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Iowa. With him at the convention were 250 delegates from Iowa.

1892—Prof. H. E. Walter of the Dept. of Biology of Brown University, recently gave a very fine study of eugenics, from the biological standpoint, before the R. I. Ass'n of Congregational Ministers.

1897—Arthur P. D. Tobien is teacher of Mathematics at George School, Bucks Co., Penn.

1909—Raymond S. Oakes is an attorney in Portland, Maine, located at 435 Masonic Temple.

The marriage of Carl H. Ranger, 1909, of Monson, Maine, to Miss Lena F. Southard of Bath, New Hampshire, took place December 31.

Guy Allison Tuttle is principal of the High School at Chester, Vermont.

1910—Olive Farnham is enjoying her work in the high school at Lexington, Mass., where she went this year after three years of very successful work in the high school at Hudson, Maine.

Anna B. Longfellow is a teacher in the Campbell School at Windsor, Conn.

1911—Hazel B. Barnard has a position in Leavitt Institute, Turner, Me.

1912—Donna Lillian Yeaton is teacher of Latin in Port Jervis High School, Port Jervis, N. Y.



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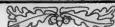
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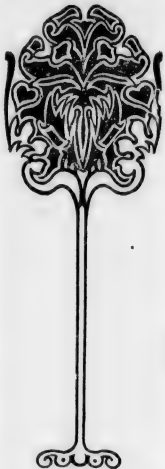
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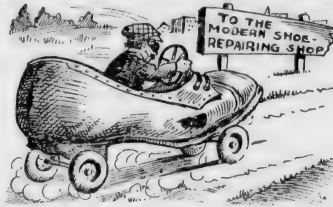
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## TO MY VALENTINE

St. Valentine's a friend of mine,  
I think he is of you.  
At any rate we'll celebrate  
With just a verse or two.  
Our patron Saint makes no complaint,  
If hearts be warm and true,  
He knows full well tongue cannot tell  
The love I have for you.  
Around thy heart with Cupid's dart  
I would that love entwine,  
That you might keep my secret deep,  
And be my valentine.

GEORGE W. FLINT, '71.

## DAY OF PRAYER

Doxology  
Anthem

Scripture Reading

Rev. R. F. Johannot, Pastor, First Universalist Church, Auburn.

Response

Prayer

Rev. A. T. Salley, Pastor, Main Street Free Baptist Church.

Address Rev. Enoch Bell of Boston

Rev. Howard Chidley of West Orange, N. J., was to have spoken, but he was unable to be present. Mr. Bell is engaged in social service work. For the two past years he has addressed the students at these exercises. He said in part:

The three essentials to success are: to see a vision, hear a voice, volunteer yourself for service. The three common aims of life are: Wealth, Knowledge, and People. This is the order in which they are usually sought. Now the order should be reversed. It should be: People, Knowledge, Wealth.

In considering the Mexican people we realize that they need stability of character. In China there is need of character in the in-

dividual voter. The difficulty in the Balkan States is racial hatred, and the white race would be ashamed if half the story of the war were told. There is intense racial hatred in our own country. We cannot get along without religion, for it is spirit, not matter, that amounts to most in the world.

## ORGAN RECITAL

Thursday P.M. occurred the organ recital by Miss Florence Annette Wells assisted by Miss Marguerite Girouard, violinist, and Mr. John Y. Scruton, 'Cellist, in Bates College Chapel. The program was as follows:

Organ—"Lord, to Thee all Praise and Honor be!" *Mozart*

Hymn: 15, 3 verses

Prayer

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Organ—Holy Grail Theme—"Lohengrin"

*Wagner*

"Prayer"—"Lohengrin"

*Wagner*

Trio—Organ, Violin and 'Cello—"Celebrated Andante"

*Reissiger*

Organ—Meditation

*Sturges*

Pastorale

*Scarlatti*

Far away where angels dwell

*Blumenthal*

Longing

*Goetze*

Trio—Organ, Violin and 'Cello—Romanze

*Delschlegel*

Organ—Marche Funere et Chant Seraphique

*Guilmant*

Hymn: 25, v. 1, 3, 5

In the evening, Mr. Bell addressed the students again, and took as his text, Joshua I; 5: "As I was with Moses, so will I be with thee." He said that the task of a man is both individual and collective. "His task is to set men free from suspicion, moral ignorance, and hopelessness in the struggle." Further, Mr. Bell said, "The college man must be true and genuine. He must have a true moral standard."

Mr. Bell told of the great work accomplished by Charles L. Wallace, a Bates graduate, through his personality and example.



DAD

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"Oh, I say! Are you dead in there? Open that door or I'll spoil my best and only shoes." Then as the door was unlocked and opened, "Telegram, Ebie old man."

"Much obliged! But what in thunder—?"

"Search me! Say, better come down for practice, we need new men badly. So long!"

Eben Forde slammed the door and hastily tore open the telegram. It was brief, but none the less startling.

"Coming 10.15 North Station. Meet me. Father."

Eben clutched the yellow slip of paper in a hand that shook, and a strange gleam of dread and shame leaped into his eyes. He sent a book whirling against the wall, viciously kicked the table, then sat down chin in hand and stared at a gaily colored poster near the window. Dad was coming and there was no time for excuses. All the fellows would—oh, hang! His old dad was a good sort, and he was all right on the farm but (a hot flush went up to Eben's ears), he was gnarled and bent by hard work, his speech was—well, it wasn't what the fellows were used to, and they'd laugh and make fun; his clothes, bought at a little country store, were sure to be impossible. The chapel bell rang sharply and everyone started for a ten o'clock recitation. Eben jumped to his feet, grabbed a hat, clenched his teeth, and went on a run towards the station.

The train was a few minutes late and Eben, hands thrust deep in his pockets, paced up and down the platform with quick, nervous jerks. At last the train crashed in and he found himself swept towards the gates. There he was, a bent little man, right on the top steps, and he was coming, eyes shining with delight at his surprise and gladness to see his son. As for the son, one hasty glance showed him just what he had expected to see. He bit his lip and said in forced breeziness:

"Hello, Dad!"

"How be ye, lad, how be ye? Waal, waal!

ye look jest like them picters er college fellers, don't ye?" Eben turned hot under the delighted approval of the old man, and, to hide his shame, he bent to take the grip from his father. Scarcely answering the eager inquiries, he hurried on, praying that none of the fellows would happen along.

Suddenly from around the corner came a shout and then a chorus, "We're here because we're here because—" and down came a crowd of about eight of the leading fellows in college. They stopped their song suddenly and nodded gravely. Eben's throat burned, he dropped his eyes, swaggered a little in his overwhelming shame, nodded curtly and slunk around the corner.

"Friends er yourn?" asked the father, then not waiting for an answer, "My but them voices are pretty, all mixed up like that!" Eben miserably gulped out some reply and shot ahead at a rate that made the older man's breath come in quick, hard gasps.

"Cracky!—lad, ye can beat old Bill fer trottin'."

Eben broke into a shrill, nervous laugh and settled back to a slower, jerky walk.

That afternoon the father insisted upon inspecting the campus, peering eagerly at all the boys whom they met. The fellows stared, and sometimes even turned around to look. The old man scanned every face and said finally:

"Say, Eb! Whar's the President? I want to talk to him a spell." Eben gasped—oh, not that! He could not stand that ridicule. "He—he's sick!" he blurted out, and stooped to tie up his shoe.

"That so! That so! Waal, maybe he'll be all right before I go back."

Just then some one touched Eben on the shoulder and he turned to face the President. His heart gave a mighty leap, then became as stone and sunk with a terrible pain. Wave after wave of hot color swept over him and he reeled a little.

"Sorry to startle you, Forde, but I wish to see you to-morrow. Come to my office at ten."

Eben suddenly came to his senses. "My father, President Hill!" he murmured and



waited with strange courage for the cool, curt reply. There was a dead silence, during which the two men gazed at each other intently and Eben longed to drop through the earth. Then there was a glad exclamation:

"Charlie Forde!"

"Johnnie Hill!"

The two men wrung each other's hands and gazed delightedly into each other's faces. Suddenly the President broke into a hearty laugh. "How's that goat?" he asked. Mr. Forde chuckled softly as he said, "Dead, Johnnie, dead's a nail. He ate Aunt Sarah's hawk poison!"

Eben stared after the two men as they walked away, arm in arm, and he overheard fragments of the conversation. Why hadn't his father made known the fact that the president had been his roommate at college, and that ever since then he had been a welcome guest at Prexy's house.

A shame of a different type sent him rushing towards the gymnasium with head down and smarting eyes.

"Where goin'!" called one of the fellows.

"Gym!" he answered shortly.

"Gee whiz! Eb, experienced religion, sick, or has the fair Gwendolen—?"

"Oh, shut up!" said Eben, and he stumbled away into the gym. "Great stuff, aren't you?" he addressed himself. "Proud of yourself, aren't you?" and a sob rose in his throat unashamed.

MARION R. SANBORN, '14.

#### THE STANTON CLUB

The annual meeting and banquet of The Stanton Club will be held Friday, February 6th, at Congress Square Hotel in Portland. The meeting will be at 6 o'clock and the banquet at 6.30 followed by speaking. The entire program will be completed in time for those wishing to do so to leave Portland on the eleven o'clock train. Lewiston and Auburn people can take the 3.50 train and return on the Pullman. The indications are that there

will be a good attendance. The Congress Square Hotel has provided an excellent private banquet room and some good speakers have been secured. The committee in charge are confident that it will be one of the best Bates gatherings ever held in the state, and they hope for a good representation from the college people in Lewiston and Auburn.

#### SOCIETIES

At Eurosophia the subject for the evening was the "Life of Stephen Foster." A sketch of Stephen Foster's life and songs was given by Miss Adams, '14. Several of his best known negro melodies were given by the college quartet.

The members and guests of Polymnia enjoyed Sophomore Night with the following program:

Piano Solo	Miss Murphy, '16
Selection	Quartet, '16
The Bachelor's Reverie	
Vocal Solo	Mr. Benvie, '16
Piæria welcomed the class of 1917 to her society with the following program:	
Vocal Solo	Mr. Webster, '17
Cornet Solo	Mr. Boissoneau, '17
Welcome to New Members	
	President Packard

#### SOPHOMORE PRELIMINARY DEBATES

The Sophomore preliminary debates have been completed and the prizes for the best debate in each of the six divisions have been awarded as follows: I., Miss Agnes Bryant; II., Harold B. Clifford; III., Harold J. Cloutman; IV., Miss Hazel A. Mitchell; V., Frank E. Kennedy; VI., Henry P. Johnson.

The Champion Sophomore Debate, which comes soon after the first of March, will be on the following question: *Resolved*, That the Monroe Doctrine should be abandoned as a permanent foreign policy. The following are the teams for this debate as chosen from the recent preliminaries:

Affirmative: Miss Bryant, H. B. Clifford, H. P. Johnson, G. A. Pickard; alternate, R. A. Greene.

Negative: Miss Mitchell, H. J. Cloutman, F. E. Kennedy, W. W. McCann; alternate, R. D. Stillman.



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There will be no issue of the STUDENT next week.

Don't forget the "Ben Greet Players" at City Hall, February 17.

There is probably no more frequent cause of failure in college life than that of greediness, which possesses us all, to grasp too many of its prizes. There are many the acquisition of which is inconsistent with the acquisition of others, and the sooner this truth is realized and acted upon the better the chance of success. Much material good must be resigned if we would attain to the highest degree of moral excellence, and many spiritual joys will be missed, if we resolved at all risks to attain great material advantage. To live for self alone, and yet to look for the joys

that spring from virtuous and self-denying life, is to ask for impossibilities. The world is a great market where everything is marked at a settled price; and whatever we buy with our time, labor or ingenuity,—whether fame, integrity, or knowledge,—we must stand by our decision, and not like children, when we have purchased one thing, complain because we do not possess some other.

How often it is in the choosing of our profession, or our life's work that we feel if we only had decided differently, turning away, in many cases, from a noble and useful career, because we had become dissatisfied with our special vocation in life. Unfortunate is the man who has no special aim, upon which to build his moral and intellectual strength. His success is adequately summed up in the old adage, "a Jack-of-all-trades is master of none." Knives containing a half-dozen blades, a toothpick, a small saw, a file, two or three corkscrews, and a pair of tweezers, is wretchedly adapted to none of the uses designed, and is soon discarded.

The oneness of aim, is the quality that singles out the college man, and gives to him the burden of solving the real and vital problems of to-day.

## THE BEN GREET PLAYERS

The third entertainment in the lecture course of the Woman's Christian Association will be given in the city hall on February 17 by Ben Greet Players, who will present "The Merchant of Venice." This will, undoubtedly, be the star number of the course. All the players are trained under the personal direction of Mr. Greet, who has been connected with the stage for thirty years and is to-day considered one of the greatest living authorities on English drama. Performances, which are presented in the Elizabethan manner, have been given at many large universities thruout the country, including Harvard and Yale.



## BETTY'S MATERIAL

"Do help me out on this thing, Jack. I can't write this story to save my life. How do I know what to make my heroine say when my hero proposes to her. Do they all say: 'Oh, Charlie, this is so sudden,' and then marry and live happy ever after?"

"Don't know, guess not; write what they would naturally say."

"That's just it. I don't know what they would naturally say. I just can't write a love story, and I'm not going to try to write another thing as long as I live, so there."

"Whew! Isn't that a rather strong statement for a young authoress to make, who has already had several stories published?"

"Oh, those don't count. They were about children and old ladies, and all such common, everyday things. I absolutely cannot write a word about things I don't know anything about. I've never had a single love affair in my life."

"Why don't you go out and find one, Betty?"

"Yes, I might be another Poe and hunt in highways and byways for the incident I want!"

"Sure, go ahead."

"Jack Bragdon, I've lived next door to you all my life, and I never heard you give such advice as that before in this world."

"Honest, Betty, I mean what I say. You stay in the house so much that everybody thinks you are a little mouse. Come on, get out in society, and let people know you are good for something, even if you do write stories."

"Even! Thank you."

"Well, any way, come on and go to Maude's party with me, Thursday evening. I wasn't intending to go, but I will to get you out."

"Goodness, no, I haven't any time. I've got to finish my 'Three Bears and Three Boys!'"

"Oh, bosh, they'll probably finish you before you finish them. What a title. Come on."

"I'd like to, but I don't see how I can."

"Great Cæsar, Betty, you said you wanted material and here's your chance. You won't be wasting time, you'll be improving it, and get a whole lot of inspiration besides."

"I believe I will go, and thank you awfully, Jack."

"All right, and remember you can't get much material at one party. I'm going to see to it that you have plenty of chances to get more. So long."

Jack was as good as his word, and during the summer there were but few merrymakings which he and Betty did not attend.

"Betty is getting to be a regular sport," said Maude George, one day in the late summer. "She began at my party last June. I used to think she was awfully slow, but she is just as funny and bright as can be."

"Yes," chimed in Maude's chum, Esther Young. "She is certainly the belle of our crowd."

Yes, Betty had "gotten into it" as Jack expressed it. Her summer had been a happy one, but somehow or other, she did not know why, she was feeling a little unsatisfied, as she sat in her hammock one September afternoon.

"Hello, what's the matter with you?"

"Hello, Jack, I was thinking. They've offered a prize in one of the magazines for the best love story, and I've thought of the nicest plot."

"Good, and you'll get the prize."

"No, I won't, for listen; you see this summer, thanks to you, I've gotten lots of material and can write stories now about how young people act and talk, but Jack—do you know I haven't any more idea how to write a proposal than I did last winter. The climax of my story is a proposal. There, you've heard my tale of woe, tell me what to do."

"Well, Betty, that is rather a difficult question. You say you must have the proposal scene. I tell you, perhaps I can help you out."

"Oh, goody! How?"

"Well, the fact is, I've been thinking, if perhaps I proposed to you then you would know how to write your story."



"Gracious, you don't know any more how to than I do!"

"Oh, I don't, do I? Well, we'll see about that. Look here, Betty, I mean just what I say and I don't care a rap about your old story, but I do want you."

It was nearly dark when the two remembered that the hour was late, and that after all there were a few other people in the world besides themselves.

"Well, Betty, you can finish your story now," said Jack as he helped her from the hammock.

"I can but I don't want to, now. I had rather be in a story myself with just you and I in it, and nobody else."

MILDRED KYDER, '14.

### THE APPLE TREE

#### IN MIDWINTER

A tragedy art thou,  
Thou shrieking, screaming thing,  
With gnarled limbs white with snow,  
The song of death ye sing.  
Ye sing of brave ships lost at sea,  
Ye shriek of men in misery,  
All tales of woe are heard in thee  
Thou bent, snow-cruised apple tree.

#### IN MAY

A dainty comedy,  
Thou fairy-robed May Queen,  
In rippling note and free  
The song of mirth ye sing.  
Ye sing of fairies on the lee,  
Of laughing sky, of glassy sea.  
A burst of Nature's melody  
Thou gaudy, lovely apple tree.

#### IN AUTUMN

Thou with limbs bent low  
Sing'st a harvest song,  
Nor voice of mirth nor woe,  
But sweet and pure and strong  
Ye sing of peace and harmony.  
Thou storms may blow, secure are ye,  
A drama art thou, verily,  
Thou harvest laden apple tree.

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### TEMPERANCE ORATIONS

The following are extracts from the rules and regulations governing the contest for the Purinton Prizes:

1. The contestants for the prizes must be selected from students enrolled in the academic departments of Colby, Bates, and the University of Maine.

2. Each college is entitled to two contestants.

3. Each college competing for the prizes shall first hold a local contest at least one month before the intercollegiate contest, the local contest to be participated in by at least four contestants.

4. The orations shall deal with the general subject of Temperance, with special reference to the temperance question in the state of Maine.

5. The orations shall be not more than fifteen minutes in length.

6. The awards shall be as follows: First prize, \$50; second prize \$25; third prize, \$15; fourth prize, \$10.

The local contest will probably be held not later than the first of March.

### BATES NEEDLE CLUB

The last meeting of the Needle Club was held in the Fiske Room, Rand Hall, the hostesses being Dean Buswell and Miss Fitz. The program consisted of lullabies of different countries sung by a group of college girls who were costumed to represent the different nations. The parts were: A German lullaby, Miss Sturgis; American, Miss Fales; French, Miss Everett; American Darkey, Miss Roberts; Italian, Miss George; Indian, Miss Agnes Thompson; English, Miss Berry. Also violin solos were rendered by Miss Girouard. Light refreshments were served at the end of the afternoon. Mrs. H. H. Britan and Mrs. R. R. W. Gould will entertain at the next meeting.

### PRESS CLUB

The meetings of the Press Club next semester will be somewhat changed in character. A formal program will be arranged and followed out at each week's meeting. It has already been arranged to have the club addressed by representatives of the local papers.



## THE BILLIES

[The Billies are a row of sticks suspended before a railroad bridge or tunnel.]

## I.

We are the guard of the smoky bridge,  
A watch for the night-freight's men,  
We dance from the ridge of the tunnel's  
edge,  
And rattle in wind and rain.  
The out-post blocks may wave their pins,  
In fire of the red-light eye.  
We are the law and the law is grim,  
"Who does not duck shall die."

## II.

We rattle a laugh in the sleet and hail,  
And we dance in the steam and smoke,  
But the train-wife knows that we will not  
fail,  
'Tho it is with Death we joke.  
We rap the beggar who does not heed,  
He ducks and the train clicks by.  
The law has stood in the time of need,  
"Who does not duck shall die."

J. F. HILL, '14.

## VARSITY DEBATES

As a result of the preliminary contest the following men have been selected for the intercollegiate debating squad: L. R. Carey, '15; P. H. Dow, '14; G. B. Gustin, '15; E. A. Harding, '15; H. P. Johnson, '16; F. E. Kennedy, '16; G. C. Marsden, '14; W. W. McCann, '16; J. R. Packard, '14; E. L. Saxton, '15; A. Schubert, '14; H. M. Smith, '14.

## ALUMNI NOTES

January 17, occurred the lunch of the Bates Alumni Association of New York at the Gregorian Hotel, New York City. Mr. Albert F. Gilmore, '92, presided. About thirty-five members were present and the following visitors: President George C. Chase of Bates, Dr. I. L. Rice and Miss Jessie Goodspeed of New York, and Eugene L. Peabody of Lakeville, Conn. \$169 was pledged to be used in buying cases for Prof. Stanton's birds. It was voted to have the next meeting in April.

1872—Rev. F. W. Baldwin, D.D., pastor emeritus of Trinity Congregational church,

East Orange, N. J., is spending the winter at 16 Llewellyn Road, Montclair, N. J.

1885—Wm. F. Tibbetts, who has been for several years a teacher in Erasmus Hall High School, Brooklyn, N. Y., has been elected Head of the Dept. of Latin in Curtis High School, Staten Island.

1891—Albert D. Pinkham, a teacher in the Ethical Culture School of New York, has leave of absence for the year. He is studying in the New York College of Physicians and Surgeons.

1896—Augustus P. Norton is in the legal division of the Bureau of Statistics, Labor Department, Washington, D. C. His home is at 1411 Ames Place, N. E.

1897—Hon. C. E. Milliken of Island Falls, his wife and two daughters, together with Miss Harriet Milliken, '04, and Miss Caroline Chase, '07, are to take a three weeks' trip to Florida in February.

1900—Allison G. Catheron is chairman of the Social Service Committee of the Massachusetts Legislature.

1904—Viola J. Turner is teaching in Lynn, Mass.

Edith E. Thompson King is living at 22 Meeting Street, Charleston, S. C.

1907—Charles O. Turner is principal of the High School in Warren, Mass.

1909—Guy Allison Tuttle is principal of the High School at Chester, Vermont.

1910—Orel M. Bean is submaster in the High School at Woburn, Mass.

1910—Anna B. Longfellow is a teacher in the Campbell School at Windsor, Conn.

1910—Olive Farnham is enjoying her work in the high school at Lexington, Mass., where she went this year after three years of very successful work in the high school at Hudson, Mass.

1911—Waldo Andrews is teaching in the Science Dept. in the Pawtucket, R. I., High School.

1911—Hazel B. Barnard is a teacher in Leavitt Institute, Turner, Me.

1912—At the Teachers' Convention, held in Lewiston, January 30, Supt. Charles H. Abbott (of the Turner-Canton school district) was elected president of the Androscoggin County Teachers' Association.

A. R. C. Cole is principal of the High School at Milo, Maine.



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## CALENDAR

- THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19  
7.50 P.M. Spofford Club.  
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20  
State Students' Conference,  
Waterville.  
4.30 P.M. Press Club.  
7.30 P.M. Literary Societies.  
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21  
7.30 P.M. "Indoor Track Meet," Rand Hall.  
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22  
4.00 P.M. Musical Vespers in the Chapel.  
Violin Solos by Hubert Davis, '12.  
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23  
1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
1.30 P.M. Freshman Public Speaking.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current  
Events Clubs.  
6.45 P.M. Social Service Courses.  
7.30 P.M. Jordan Scientific Society.  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24  
6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current  
Events Clubs.  
8.15 P.M. Bates Glee and Mandolin Club  
Concert, Pine St. Congregational  
Church.  
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25  
1.30 P.M. Freshman Public Speaking.  
6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.  
7.30 P.M. Politics Club.

## STANTON CLUB

Including Prof. J. Y. Stanton, the only surviving member of the original corps of teachers at the famous institution, alumni and alumnae of Bates College gathered at the Congress Square Hotel February 6 and paid honor to their *Alma Mater*. Prof. Stanton, hearty in his 78th year, spoke to the assembled guests and was listened to with keenest attention.

Previous to the banquet the annual meeting of the organization was held and the following officers were elected:

President—Dr. L. L. Powell, 1900, Saco.

Vice-President—Jed F. Fanning, '93, Portland.

Secretary and Treasurer—L. M. Sanborn, '92, South Portland.

Executive Committee—John L. Reade, '83, Lewiston; Mrs. Alfred W. Anthony, '01, Lewiston; Rev. A. J. Marsh, '94, Portland; Charles L. Foster, 1900, Portland; Miss Ellen F. Snow, '90, Yarmouth.

L. B. Costello, the retiring president of the Stanton Club, presided, and the president of the college, George C. Chase, was the first speaker of the evening, telling of the early days of the college, the growth of the institution and other interesting things. He also announced that for the first time in the history of the institution the college now has a professor in economics in the person of J. Murray Carroll whose coming has filled a long-felt want. He paid a glowing tribute to Prof. Stanton, and to the founder of the college, Dr. Oren B. Cheney.

The other speakers were:

The Inspiring Teacher, Prof. H. E. Walter, '92, professor of biology at Brown University.

The Younger Bates Alumni, E. K. Jordan, 1901, of Alfred.

Our New Chapel, Rev. Arba John Marsh, '94, of Portland.

Bates Men in Maine Public Affairs, Scott Wilson, '91, of Portland, attorney general of the State of Maine.

Our Guest of Honor, Miss Mabel S. Merrill, '91, of Lewiston.

## THE BOYS' CONFERENCE

The ninth annual Boys' Conference of Maine opened in Lewiston last Friday. Over a thousand delegates from all parts of the State were in attendance.



The delegates on their arrival in the city Friday, were all quickly shown to their places of entertainment by a carefully planned system of guides.

The opening session of the Conference was held Friday afternoon in the Pine Street Congregational Church. After the meeting the delegates paraded the main streets of Lewiston and Auburn behind St. Cecilia's Boys' Band.

After the parade the convention banquet was held in the City Hall. Hon. Orlando E. Frost of Belfast, was toastmaster and the speakers were J. L. McConaughy of Bowdoin College, and A. E. Roberts of New York.

The Saturday morning session at Pine Street was the business session. Officers were elected. P. W. Norton of Newport was chosen president for the coming year. The speakers of the morning were Rev. C. M. Woodman of Portland, President William DeWitt Hyde of Bowdoin, and Dr. George J. Fisher of New York. After this session the conference photograph was taken in front of the post office.

The noon session was held in the City Hall. After this meeting some of the delegates braved the snow storm and went to the Bates Chapel to the organ recital and Glee Club concert given for their entertainment.

Saturday evening different delegations put on "stunts" for the amusement of the crowd and a motion picture was shown.

Sunday morning was left free for the delegates to attend the various churches of the city. At the mass-meeting at the High Street Congregational Church in the afternoon 243 boys made the decision to take a "Forward Step" in Christian living. The Farewell Service was held in the City Hall, the conference closing in the usual Y. M. C. A. manner, joining hands about the hall and singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Many of the delegates remained in the city, Monday morning, and attended chapel exercises at college and later visited the halls.

## TRACK

The Maine Intercollegiate Relay Race was one of the events of the Boston Athletic Association Meet held in Mechanics' Hall, Boston, on February 7th. Only three of the Maine colleges entered this event. Bowdoin refused to run in a four-man race under the conditions imposed.

There was a wild scramble for the lead at the first corner in which Captain Nevers, in the lead, was knocked down. In a second he was upon his feet again, but it was a hopeless task to regain the lead. Each of the other Bates men tried fiercely to regain the lost ground, but it was an attempt at the impossible.

A Maine man won the first relay in forty-nine seconds. A Colby man forged ahead in the second relay and won out in forty-six seconds.

From that time on Colby retained the lead, winning the third relay in fifty seconds, and the last in forty-seven and one-fifth seconds. This made the time of the entire race three minutes, twelve and one-fifth seconds, which betters the time of last year's race by three and two-fifths seconds. At the finish Maine was about eight yards behind and Bates about one-half a lap. The Bates men were too eager to regain their lost ground and so ran themselves out on the first lap. But each one of them showed the Bates spirit and fought to the end.

The men who made up the team were Captain Nevers, Kennedy, Syrene and Small.

## INDOOR MEET

Arrangements are now being made for the indoor meet which will be held March 12. The list of events are as follows:

- 25-Yard Dash.
- High hurdles.
- Low hurdles.
- High Jump.
- Potato Race.
- Shot Put.
- Pole Vault.
- Mile Run.
- Three Standing Jumps.
- Class Relays.



Besides the class relays Manager Greenan is planning for some fast relay races between the local high schools, and city clubs.

Preliminaries for the pole vault, high jump, shot put, and potato race will be held on Saturday, March 8th.

Much interest is being shown in this meet. All four classes are planning to win first place. The class captains and managers have been elected and are as follows:

<i>Captains</i>	<i>Managers</i>
Seniors, Nevers	Hamilton
Juniors, Small	Blanchard
Sophomores, Syrene	Boothby
Freshmen, Chamberlain	House

### LOCALS

This week, the Y. W. C. A. presented a Missionary Pageant, which served as a Rally to arouse interest in the Mission Study Courses about to begin.

The Sophomore Current Events Clubs was omitted Tuesday night, because of the entertainment given at City Hall by the Ben Geet Players. The other clubs held their regular meetings.

The chapel exercises Monday were led by Mr. A. E. Roberts of New York, Y. M. C. A. International Secretary. Mr. Roberts emphasized the importance of the rural community, saying that the welfare of the nation depends upon it, and that hand in hand with the economic development of the country district, should go social, moral, and spiritual advance. "The three fundamental institutions are," he said, "the Home, the Church, and the School." "The solution of the problem is found in the awakening of community conscience, permanent leadership, and consecration of personality."

Miss Perkins, a graduate from Bates in the Class of 1905, who has recently returned from China, spoke at Vespers in Rand Hall Sunday evening, upon her work in the mission field.

The Y. W. C. A. had an informal meeting this week at 6.45 in Fiske Hall. Miss Harding, '16, and Miss Esther Greene, '17, led. The experiences of Dr. Grenfell in Labrador were read.

### ORGAN RECITAL

Miss Florence Annette Wells rendered her second organ recital assisted by Mrs. Evangeline Hiltz, Soprano Soloist, at the Bates College Chapel, Thursday, February 12th, 1914, 7.45 P.M. The programme presented was as follows:

Sonata in A—Con moto maestoso—Minore  
poco a poco crescendo ed accelerando—  
Andante tranquillo *Mendelssohn*  
Scherzo Symphonique *Debdt-Ponsan*

MISS WELLS

Air du Rossignol from "Les Noces de Jeanette"  
*Masse*

MRS. HILTZ

Carillon (Chime of Bells) *Klezynski*  
Andante from "Symphonie Pathetique"

*Tschaikowsky*

Pipes of Pan *Godard*  
Vesperal (Soir dans la plaine) *d'Evry*

MISS WELLS

Old English Songs:

Under the greenwood tree *Dr. Arne*

Oh! the Oak and the Ash *17th Century*

Should he upbraid *Sir H. R. Bishop*

MRS. HILTZ

Siegfried's Death and Funeral Music from  
"Gottterdammerung" *Wagner*

Swan Song from "Lohengrin" *Wagner*

Allegro Vivace from the Fifth Organ Symphony *Widor*

MISS WELLS

### MUSICAL CLUBS

The annual home concert of the Glee and Mandolin Clubs will be given next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Pine Street Congregational Church. The clubs are said to have one of the finest concerts for several years.

Last Saturday afternoon the Glee Club sang in the Bates Chapel to some of the delegates to the Boys' Conference. The audience was small owing to the severe storm.

The Glee and Mandolin Clubs went on a short trip the first of the week giving a concert, Monday night in Wilton, and in Rumford on Tuesday night.



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## THE LAW OF KINDNESS

*To the Editor of the Student:*

While in the moral and spiritual world, when the truth is reached, there should be no discord, both in the intellectual and physical world, man has to fight, or at least hold in check by law and even sometimes by force, that which is inferior; and one can easily see, that any nondescript and undeveloped elements in society, would tend to debase it, if those who are more worthy to advise and counsel society did not seek to overcome those apathetic feelings which keep people from interfering with the affairs of others, and at least talk about how things can be bettered, if they cannot always better them; and while people of lost opportunity or people who have had no opportunity, may be the wrong sort of people to manage or be at the head of public affairs; it is the duty of governments to seek open opportunities for individuals

and not abuse any race as a race, no matter what its color, origin or lack of opportunity may have been.

Thus, amid the deplorable conditions, which we will at times find in the world, the law of kindness tells us to protect that which is developing against that which might smother it, we should not be unkind to the undeveloped; but the law of life tells us that those who have gained considerable, must at times be protected from those who are just seeking to gain.

So a country has to have laws and regulations in regard to people outside of this country, entering into it, and the law of kindness has to be applied, not only to those who come to a country; but also to those who are already in that country.

The law of kindness also has to do with the treatment of people's ideas of things, it will not exaggerate an intellectual interpretation of truth over a spiritual one; that is, it does not define God, heaven, hell or the devil, for nearly every individual has his own ideas about these things, and while one should protest when wrong is done in the name of religion, or when ignorant people are exploited by those who try to enslave them with wrong ideas about religion, and while cults of every kind generally say that they stand for the imperishable good that exists in the human soul, a policy of government which a people may have, that is labeled a religious or a reformed policy, cannot be always looked upon as a correct policy; one should realize that more disputes come about over intellectual definitions than over any real spiritual faith which people may have, and if people are too hair-splitting in regard to things as they become independent of others in their ideas, there will be about as many cults as individuals, and governments seeing this fault, rightly claim a certain measure of jurisdiction or censorship over the intellectual ideas which people may develop and while one may talk to children about God and not mention historical events to any extent, if one talks to other educated



people he should keep track not only of history, but of current events, for we are told that because of enemies, if people do not know the times of their visitation or take advantage of their days of opportunity, not one stone of the houses which they try to build, will be left upon another.

The law of kindness also tells us that in many cases we have to take the advice of people and look upon them in a measure as authorities, and while some may dispute the idea that any man is entitled to be called King, or Sovereign, the governmental and educational development of the world shows us that men have to take counsel one with another, and even choose for leaders in certain departments those who seem fit for such an office.

Some men may at times drop into the fault of incorporating themselves into a committee of public safety, and criticise everyone who endangers this public safety, as they see it, but man in a measure exists so that no good cause can lack a champion and no evil can be developed without being opposed, and while it may be well for him at times to take the initiative, he should try to have others confirm his ideas about right and wrong, and the development of government in its different complications tends towards this, for while the opinion of one man is not disregarded, the opinions which the many confirm are generally thought to be the most worthy.

It is just as bad for people who have the welfare of the public at heart, to be overgoverned, as it is for those whose only idea of life is getting theirs, not to be governed at all.

Thus the law of kindness respects the common law, but it does not try to search a man's life and publish the fact just when and where he has broken the law, for every man at some time or place has broken the common law, and this is the tribulation of men who try to govern, those who are not benefitted forever criticise and between the two those who sustain and those who criticise good government is gradually developed.

#### TO LOVE

Oh Love! how sweet is thy forgiveness dear  
For waywardness and youthful folly wild.  
Oh! that I might be sweet and undefiled  
As thy dear self, whose presence ever near  
Calls to my better self in voice so clear  
My soul looks up, is drawn, and reconciled  
Unto that peace and music which a child  
Alone, through innocence and purity can  
hear.

Clasp my weak hand, thou pure and radiant  
soul,

And ne'er forsake it till in Death's cold palm  
It gropes along toward life's far-reaching  
goal.

Thus let me live encompassed by love's calm,  
And strive to give, for thy unselfish whole  
At least a part of sweet forgiveness' balm.

—1916.

#### Y. M. C. A.

Roger Williams Chapel now presents an entirely different appearance since the college has expended nearly seventy dollars in remodeling and repairing it. The need has been felt for a long time of a place suitable for the college men to reciprocate the many delightful affairs that they have attended in Rand Hall. Tho Roger Williams Chapel is not as large as Fiske Room, yet it is the only place on the campus at present. With the reception room and Prof. Purinton's room as receiving and cloak rooms and the Y. M. C. A. office as a serving room, it was deemed not impracticable at least, for this purpose, providing the Chapel was made reasonably attractive. The Association, therefore, presented the petition to the college to have the old walls retinted, to have the old high platform removed and a low, movable one substituted for it, and to exchange the old-fashioned, low chandeliers for appropriate new ones. This they have done and the change has certainly been worth the effort. With appropriate decorations, the room would be as attractive as one could wish for any social function.

At the regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. January 28, Prof. Tubbs gave one of his interesting and helpful talks on prayer.



### SOCIAL SERVICE BANQUET

About a hundred men attended the Social Service Banquet at the College Commons last Monday night. The purpose of the banquet was to arouse interest in the four new "extra-curriculum" courses instituted by the Y. M. C. A. These courses are to be given thruout the second semester in place of the Bible Study classes of last semester.

The principal speaker of the evening was A. E. Roberts of New York, International Y. M. C. A. Secretary for Student Work. Mr. Roberts was one of the main speakers at the recent Boys' Conference. The leader of each of the four courses spoke for five minutes on his particular branch of the work.

The lecture courses and the leaders are as follows:

- I. City Social Problems  
Rev. J. H. Nolan, Trinity Church
- II. Rural Problems  
Prof. A. C. Baird, A.M., B.D.
- III. Chinese Social Problems  
Rev. H. P. Woodin, High St. Cong. Church
- IV. Boy Leadership  
A. G. Ireland of Springfield Training School.

### NEEDLE CLUB

Mrs. H. H. Britan and Mrs. R. R. N. Gould entertained the Bates Needle Club at the home of Mrs. Gould, 148 Nichols Street, Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was spent, as usual, in sewing. Later refreshments were served and selections on the Victrola given. A large number of members were in attendance.

### BASEBALL

Work in the cage has begun again. All battery candidates are to report this week, and next week all candidates for the team will be called out. There are about thirty men, including the Freshmen, who will be given a try-out. No cut in the Freshmen squad has yet been made.

### LIBRARY ADDITIONS

DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY AND ASTRONOMY  
J. C. Gilson: Wealth of the world's waste places and Oceania.  
Sir John Murray: The Ocean.

W. B. Scott: History of land mammals in the western hemisphere.

Arthur Holmes: The age of the earth.

J. R. Smith: Industrial and commercial geography.

L. W. Lyde: The continent of Europe.

### DIVINITY LIBRARY

Hastings: Encyclopædia of religion and ethics, vol. 6.

### APPROPRIATION

Henry de Vere Stacpoole: The street of the flute-player.

### PRESENTED

By Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, Ernest Gordon;  
The anti-alcohol movement in Europe.

### COLLEGE CLUB

Maurice Albert: La litterature francais sous la revolution.

Emile Augier: Theatre complet, v. 6, 7.

Boileau: Oeuvres.

Louis Charlanne: L'influence francais en Angleterre au XVIIe siecle.

Henri Estienne: La precellence du langage francais.

Eugene Rigal: De Jodelle a Moliere.

Eugene Brieux: La robe rouge.

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Moorfield Storey: The reform of legal procedure.

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Gilbert Murray: Four stages of Greek religion.

### SEUMAS MACMANUS

City Hall, November 8, 1913

What can we know in the city of the cloud-swept, lonely moor?

What can we feel in the city of the sun and the rain on the hill?

Lead us out through the close gray walls by your memories' magic door,

To follow the far foot-path through haunted places and still.



Weave the spell of your words till our dull  
ears heed the calling

Of the long-forsaken plover on the upland  
cold,

And the blackbird's rollicking whistle, answer-  
ing and mocking,

And the sweep and rush of the midnight  
host, back to the fairy hold.

Weave the spell of your words till our dull  
eyes are opened,

And we catch the gleam of their passing  
where the Little People be,

Till we guess the haunting meaning of their  
beckonings and tokens,

And learn of the world that waits for him  
that has eyes to see.

Weave the spell of your words till our dull  
hearts are quickened,

Catching the living glow of the hearts that  
love bird and man and moor;

By the spell of simple words and simple mem-  
ories awakened,

Lead us out from the close-walled ways to  
the foot-path past your door.

ALICE GRAY.

#### ALUMNI NOTES

The Providence Bates Alumni Association will hold its annual meeting, Friday evening, April 3.

In the High School of Passaic, N. J., are the following Bates teachers: Harry W. Blake, '98; Anna Fisher, '01; Mame S. Bennett, '01; and Hazel Donham, '03.

1883—Oliver L. Frisbee of Portsmouth, N. H., is a member of the executive committee of the progressive party in New Hampshire.

1890—Rev. H. J. Piper is pastor of St. John's Church, Providence, R. I.

1893—Prof. Geo. M. Chase of Bates, is Vice-President of the New England Classical Association. He is to give an address on "The Golden Age in Greek and Latin Literature" at the meeting of the Association at Dartmouth in April.

1899—February 11 occurred the death of Ina Sherburn Small, wife of Rev. Herbert C. Small, Bates, '99, of Woodfords. Mr. Small is a clergyman in the Swedenborgian denomination, and for the last two years has been pastor of the Church of the New Jerusalem in Portland.

1902—Willard M. Drake is in the government employment as Forester in Flagstaff, Arizona.

1903—The engagement of Carroll Linwood Beedy, Esq., of Portland, Bates, '03, and Miss Dorothy West Lathrop of New London, has been announced. The wedding will take place in May.

George E. Stebbins is practicing law in Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Stebbins (Miriam Tenney, a graduate of Tufts, formerly of Bates, '06), have a charming home in Swampscott.

1904—Jesse K. Flanders is secretary and manager of the Mesilla Valley Abstract and Title Company, at Las Cruces, New Mexico.

1906—Rev. W. Bertrand Stevens, the donor of the two prizes given annually for excellence in Greek attained by students in the Freshman Class at Bates, is rector of St. Ann's Episcopal Church, New York City.

1908—W. M. Cheney is a lawyer connected with the District Forester's office in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

1909—Fred L. Lancaster of Lewiston, has recently passed the examination of the State Board at Bangor and been admitted to the Maine Bar. Mr. Lancaster has been studying law with McGillicuddy & Morey.

1910—Miss Frances P. Kidder of Richmond, is teacher of German and History in the South Portland High School. Until very recently she has been teaching in Bridgton Academy.

1911—Miss Agnes Dwyer is teaching in the High School at Stoughton, Mass.

Ralph P. Dow, assistant principal of the Holten High School at Danvers, has resigned to accept a position at New Bedford, Mass.



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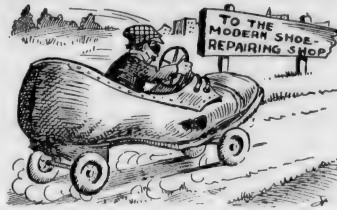
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26

7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27

1.30 P.M. Freshman Public Speaking.  
4.30 P.M. Press Club.  
8.00 P.M. Sophomore Champion Debate, Hathorn Hall.

### MONDAY, MARCH 2

1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
1.30 P.M. Freshman Public Speaking.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current Event Club.  
6.45 P.M. Social Service Courses.

### TUESDAY, MARCH 3

6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Clubs.

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4

1.30 P.M. Freshman Public Speaking.  
6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

## BEN GREET PLAYERS

The third entertainment in the Women's Christian Association Course was given Feb. 17, at City Hall. The Ben Greet Players presented Shakespeare's "The Merchant of Venice." City Hall was practically filled with people from the two cities.

The production proved beyond a doubt that the power of Shakespeare does not depend upon setting or accessories and needs no embellishment beyond its own beauty and wit. The play showed well against the simple background and the skill of the actors more than made up for any lack of stage effects of the common sort.

The music and songs were by Mr. Sanford and Miss Conrey. The executive staff was made up as follows: Director, Percival

Vivian; assistant manager, Charles Hanna; stage manager, H. Royer Smith.

Announcement was made of the postponement of the Montville Flowers reading from March 2 to April 2. The next in the course will be March 19 a lecture by Gabriel Maguire.

## THE MIRROR

(From the Spanish of Becquer)

Your eye is blue, and when you smile  
Its gentle light recalls to me  
The tremulous glow of morning  
Which reflects itself in the sea.

Your eye is blue, and when you weep,  
Transparent tears in it  
Are pictured to me as drops of dew  
Upon a violet.

Your eye is blue, and when in its depths  
Like a point of light, a fancy gleams  
In the sky the dark'ning, dying day  
How like a star, it seems!

LAWRENE C. WOODMAN, 1914.

## THE TRACK MEET

The "track meet" given by the Girls' Athletic Association, Saturday evening, in the girls' gymnasium proved very successful. Music was furnished by the college orchestra. The events of the evening and the winners were as follows:

Hammer Throw	Miss Downs, '14
Broad Jump	Mr. Mullen, '15
Hurdles	The Boys
Target Shooting	Miss Foster, '15
Shot Put	Miss Foster, '15
Mile Run	Mr. Parker, '14
Basketball	The Girls

The young men secured the highest number of points. A grand march was led by Professor and Mrs. Harms, completing the evening's entertainment.



## DEBATING

The members of the 'varsity debating teams were chosen after the preliminary debates of last week. The team that will meet Colgate in Lewiston on April 24 is composed of Gustin, '15, Harding, '15, Packard, '14, and Saxton, '15. These men have the affirmative side of the question, "*Resolved*, That the Monroe Doctrine should no longer form a part of the permanent policy of the United States." The men chosen to debate with Tufts at Medford are Carey, '15, Dow, '14, Kennedy, '16, and Marsden, '14. In this debate Bates has the negative of the question, "*Resolved*, That judicial decisions upon constitutional questions should be subject to recall by popular vote.

It is a little out of the ordinary for the two Bates teams to have different questions for their debates, but it so happened that the question submitted and agreed to for the Bates-Tufts debate was a question that Colgate had already debated on so that it was necessary to select a second question that would be fair for both sides

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The Sophomore Champion Debate on the Monroe question will be held next Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Old Chapel in Hathorn Hall.

## BATES ROUND TABLE

Friday evening, February 20, the Bates Round Table observed guest night. About 150 were in attendance. The speaker was Dr. H. H. Britan, and his subject was "Poems on Evolution." During the evening violin solos were rendered by Miss Marguerite Girouard, '16. Refreshments of sherbet, hot chocolate and cake were served.

## SPOFFORD CLUB

At the regular meeting of the Spofford Club last week, Mr. Hussey presented an essay. Miss Sanborn read a short sketch, and Mr. Woodman gave translations from the Spanish poet, Becquer.

## VESPER SERVICE

The first of a series of Vesper Services was held Sunday at four o'clock in the chapel. Rev. W. R. Leslie, pastor of the High street Methodist church, Auburn, gave the address. There was special music by Miss Mildred Litchfield, soloist, and Mr. Hubert Davis, Bates, '12, violinist, and an anthem by the choir.

Mr. Leslie's text was Numbers XIII:30: "Let us go up at once and possess it for we are well able to overcome it." He said, in part: Discipline and inspiration are united. You are touring the promised land of school life. The end of college is the beginning of life. We attain our best not by what is done for us, but by what we do for ourselves. Caleb meant to make the Promised Land his dwelling place. He had a keen desire for opposition, a staunch faith in God, and was prompted by a true sense of altruism, which is the greatest motive in the world.

## BASEBALL

A cut in the freshmen squad has been made and the following men have been retained: Winslow, Segal, Riley, Mills, McCormack, McDonald, Murray, Davis, Collins, Butler, Boober, and Boineau. The other candidates from the upper classes, who are now trying out for the team, are: Rawson, '14, Talbot, '15, Witham, '15, Drake, '14, Stinson, '14, Cobb, '14, Lindquist, '14, Fuller, '15, Moore, '15, Moulton, '15, Thurston, '15, Marston, '16, O'Connell, '16, Hutchinson, '16 and Lord, '16.

Winslow, '17, has been persuaded by Capt. Coady and Coach Purinton to go out for pitcher instead of first base. This will strengthen very materially our pitching squad which is composed of Stinson, '14, Lindquist, '14, Fuller, '15, Moore, '15, Moulton, '15, and Mills, '17.

Talbot, '15, will be kept in form for catching this spring. This was deemed best by those in authority in order to have a catcher to fall back upon if anything should



happen to Lord, '16, the regular catcher. Talbot caught in Gardiner High School and proved himself to be a competent man in this position. Besides Lord and Talbot, Hutchinson, '16, and Segal, '16, are also applicants for the catcher's position.

It is the plan of Captain Coady in the spring to reduce the 'varsity squad to about fifteen of the best men and to let Coach Purinton give his undivided time to these men. He proposes that another coach be procured for the second team, and that the two squads practice separately. Of course if a man proved himself to be worthy he would be transferred from the second team squad to the 'varsity squad. Although Coach Purinton is not wholly in favor of this plan he will probably consent to it, as it is undoubtedly the best way to obtain the most desirable results.

An unusual characteristic of this year's team is that every man is a right-handed batter. Whether or not this will be a weakness in the team remains to be seen.

#### JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

The Jordan Scientific Society held its regular meeting Monday evening in the Chemical Laboratory. Prof. Jordan gave a formal talk, taking for his subject, "Salvo's Theory of Solutions." Harding, '15, gave an explanation of the Transit.

#### PRESS CLUB

At the weekly meeting of the Press Club, Friday, several new members were admitted.

#### SOCIETIES

Polymnia and Pieria united with Eurosofia and enjoyed the following program:

Reading	Mr. Bacon, '17
Piano Solo	Mr. Martin, '17
Vocal Solo	Miss Humiston, '14
Dialog	Miss Bradbury, '16, Miss Kane, '16
Quartet	Miss Mower, '16, Miss Thompson, '16, Miss Everett, '16, Miss Kane, '16.

#### Y. M. C. A. CONFERENCE

Over three hundred delegates met at Colby College last Friday in attendance of the Y. M. C. A. Conference. The conference opened Friday afternoon with an informal reception at Memorial Hall. The speakers were Dr. Frederick C. Thayer, President of the Chamber of Commerce, Prof. H. C. Libby of the department of public speaking, Arthur G. Dillingham, '14, President of the Colby Y. M. C. A.

At 6.30 the delegates gathered at the city armory where a banquet awaited them. Dr. John F. Hill presided, and Dr. W. H. Harts-horn served as toastmaster.

Saturday the morning session opened with a song service led by Herbert E. Hinton, Bates '17. This was followed by departmental conferences comprising two sections: One for the college men and one for the preparatory school men. The delegates from Bates College were: Paul R. Smith, Kenneth Witham, Sumner M. Davis, Robert A. Greene, Webster McCann, Percy C. Cobb, Morton H. Wiggins, Lawrence B. Sylvester, T. Charles Marsden, H. W. Hamilton, Kempton J. Coady, H. R. Nevers, Leon E. Davis, Allan W. Mansfield, N. F. Snow, E. F. Saxton, Lawrence W. Cartland, Eugene F. E. Smith.

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With the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" the ninth annual Students' Conference came to a close Sunday night.

Mr. Colton spoke at the final meeting, Sunday night, on "The Association as a World Power," and the farewell word was spoken by Dr. D. G. Latshaw of New York, international secretary for extension work.



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For the last decade it has been the aim of the athletic world to improve its environment, and to raise the standard of public opinion. The brutalized form of football of the past has been modified. Rules and regulations have been laid down for the improvement of the game. Coaches and trainers are beginning to realize that public opinion is against them if they continue to instill into the mind of the athlete that he must win, no matter how. Furthermore, the name of playing the game with a clean, steady hand is so essential to the reputation of the College, that the un-

fair advantage which one man takes toward a fellow competitor is no longer tolerable. Let a man be caught tripping on the grid-iron, cutting bases on the diamond, crowding on the cinder-path, and he is at once disqualified. The reason for this is that the best public sentiment among our colleges is on the side of fair play and honesty. These are the two fundamental principles of true sportsmanship which we demand in competitive athletics. In fact, the time has now come when we no longer regard as our rivals the college or university which will not uphold these principles.

Records show that athletics are undergoing vast improvements, but it is still for us to continue with determination in this same direction, in order that they shall be lifted to even a higher plane of decency and honesty. Athletics are with us to stay, and they must be purified.

## NEMESIS LAUGHS

I fully intended to kill him. The groom had left Neigh, as I ordered, in a clump of bushes near the road. I was a little late in getting started. I had been going over father's papers all day; father's letters to the press, clipping from "The Times," letters from such party leaders as Haswell, Longman, and Perle. The letters that would have cleared father a thousand times, he had burned with his own hands—not a line left to show who the guilty man was, and no one will ever know. That man paid—if misery can pay. But Brandon knew. More than that, he had watched my father go mad. And the hellish cartoons were allowed to stand. Oh, I was heated to it even if I could forget mother's cold, white face and father's vacant one.

I planned how I should do it. Brandon would be in his studio at the end of the house. I would creep up, and shoot him from behind the shrubbery. The artist lamp



would make it an easy shot. The studio windows were large, unshaded and uncurtained.

I planned it all out as I put Neigh over the road; where I should leave the road, where hitch Neigh, how I should make my way thru the shrubbery almost to the window ledge. If all went well I should be back by half-after-nine, early enough for the banquet.

Suddenly, I heard a siren call, far away, in the road behind me. It was Brandon; I recognized the dull green body and long, low lines of his French racer. At once, it came to me; I would shoot him while he was in the car. I reined Neigh to the roadside, turned in the saddle. He was crouched in the driver's seat, sending the car for all it was worth. It swayed from one side of the road to the other. The mark was a difficult one. I calculated my aim, confident—but I had waited too long. Just as the car pitched into range, Neigh shied. In a whirling skid he had rounded a bend of the road and was out of sight. The failure made me furious. I was more determined than before.

When I reached his place, I turned in at the drive and tied Neigh in the hedge. The house stood out glare white from the rim of trees and shrubbery, which caught the light from the windows and threw it back against the walls. The outside world seemed darker in contrast.

I kept on the turf and made no noise. Near the house I turned off from the drive and made straight for the studio window. The room was lighted—yes, he was there—bent over his dastardly cartoons, perhaps driving some other man's father mad. A few sneering lines, drawn with such devilish cunning that God's truth was caricatured into lie and slander. They killed my mother, those cartoons.

I took my revolver out of my coat pocket and moved up nearer to a clump of bushes right in front of the window. Yes, it was Brandon, altho I could not well see into the

room for the branches, I was sure of his hunched figure, and the short, straight nose and rounded cheek of his profile. I lifted my revolver. In a minute he would turn his head. The leaves moved on each other softly; but their rustle seemed to make the silence even more still, and the time longer.

Then he turned his face. I can see him now. His eyes were afire with fever. At first I thought it was fear of me. No. Altho he was looking straight in my direction, he did not see me. His face was white—the white of a dead man; he stood rigid and cold; but the eyes burned like white-hot needle points. I had leveled my revolver at him, but I could not fire. He was being paid.

A long time I stood looking at him; the revolver still leveled at his temple. Then I slunk back into the bushes and left him looking out, sightlessly, into the night.

I was late for the banquet. The waiter found me a place near the foot of the table among people whom I did not know. My dinner partner bowed graciously, and, turning to the man at her left, resumed an interrupted conversation. "Yes," I heard her say, "George Brandon was to have been here, but he was called home, suddenly, to-night. His mother died."

FRANK HILL, '14.

#### Y. M. C. A.

Prof. Harms will have charge of the meeting, Wednesday evening, March 4.

It has been voted by the faculty to grant the petition of the Y. M. C. A. cabinet to place the collection of Y. M. C. A. dues on the same basis as those of the athletic association. This means that when you get your term bill for this semester your Y. M. C. A. bill will be in the items of the main bill instead of being listed on a separate bill as heretofore. Moreover, the rule is that all seniors must pay their bill before graduating. This is simply the placing of the Y. M. C. A. on a little firmer business basis.



## SPIRITS

Darkness was falling upon a little southern town, as an ancient negro trudged towards his home. Over a quiet lake was wafted a sweet lullaby, and the crickets were chirping merrily. Uncle Joe at last came to a row of rude log cabins. He climbed the steps of one of the roughest of them, and entered a low door.

He groped about in the darkness, blindly searching for some matches. Finally he found them and lighted a small wax candle. "Mercy me," he said, "I don't see where that Lizzy o' mine is. I never see the beat o' how she's been gaddin' around lately sence she jined that wimmen's club. She's been talkin' highfalutin' enough to give a poor, respectable nigger a stomach ache. Why, jes' last night, she asked me what my opinions was consarnin' the currency reforms an' the Panyma Canal, an' I jes' up an tol' her that she better reform mighty sudden to get sumthing ready fer my alimenterary canal. Well, we couldn't know how good men folks was, if it warn't for wimmen."

The old man grumbled in this strain as he impatiently trudged about the room, waiting for his wife to return home and cook the supper. The wind howled down the chimney-place. The floor-boards creaked and groaned under the burden of his pacing feet. At last, he happened to look up at a calendar which hung over the mantel of the fireplace. "Mercy on us," he said, "It am the day."

By the day, Uncle Joe referred to the twenty-first day of September, on which date, years ago, his old master had summoned him to his death-bed. As his master bade Uncle Joe good-by, he had given him his briar pipe, and had told him that he would visit him at that date on every year, and that his spirit would then smoke the much treasured pipe.

The old negro's knees were trembling, and his face grew pale with fear. He groped towards the fireplace. He reached to the mantel, and grasped the pipe. He gave a

frightened cry, and fell, fainting, to the floor. The ashes in the pipe were hot.

In the succeeding year, Uncle Joe became so feeble that he was unable even to walk slowly. At the gathering of the first harvests, he took to his bed, and his wife, Aunt Lizzie, proved to be a faithful nurse in spite of her partiality for suffrage and political discussions. When the twenty-first day of September arrived, it was utterly impossible for Uncle Joe to rise from his bed. "Lizzie," he called, "come in here a minute. I want to tell yer sumthing." Aunt Lizzie entered the bedroom and sat down by her husband's side. "Thirty years ago," the old man continued, "when Marse Henry was dyin', he give me that briar pipe that sets on the mantel ober the fireplace. An' Marse he done said that he would come back this day every year, an' smoke that pipe. Now, Lizzie, you jes' go an' see whether the ashes in the pipe is hot er not."

A broad smile spread over Aunt Lizzie's face. "You've been so pertikuler," she said, "about that old pipe, I never darst to tech it when you was around. But p'raps it warn't that way when you've been out working or in the other room. I shouldn't wonder if the ashes was hot. I've been smokin' that 'ere pipe for thirty years."

WILBERT S. WARREN, '14.

## Y. W. C. A.

The annual business meeting of the Y. W. C. A. will be held March 4, at 6.45 p.m. The regular committee will report on the work of the past year and officers for the ensuing year will be elected. Girls please bring their sewing. Refreshments will be served.

The following are the nominations for officers:

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The Y. W. C. A. Meeting was omitted this week because of the George Colby Chase Lecture on Wednesday evening.

Sunday morning, at nine o'clock, the Y. W. C. A. held a meeting in Fiske Hall in observance of the Universal Day of Prayer for the Students. A brief resume of what has already been done and of future plans to be carried out, was given by the leader, Miss Ryder. Then followed a solo by Miss George.

The Current Events Clubs held their regular meetings this week.

## ALUMNI NOTES

Bates College alumni held their 30th annual meeting and banquet last Friday night in Boston. Among the speakers were President George C. Chase of Bates, and William F. Garcelon, '90, former graduate manager of athletics at Harvard. Frank W. Chase, '87, was elected president of the association.

In the Lewiston Chamber of Commerce there are at least three Bates graduates. W. B. Skelton, '92, is president, D. J. Callahan, '76, is first vice-president, and John L. Reade, '83, is clerk.

1887—Ezra K. Sprague is surgeon in charge of the line inspection of immigrants at Ellis Island. In a recent article in the *New York World* about the work at Ellis Island, the following statement was made concerning Dr. Sprague: "He is the man upon whose shoulders rests what is perhaps the heaviest responsibility of all. No immigrant can be certified for deportation or as suffering from any physical or mental disease or defect unless he concurs in the diagnosis of the

examining physician and signs the certificate."

1906—Mervin S. Giles is instructor of Mathematics at Lyndon Institute, Lyndon Center, Vt.

Frank H. Thurston is principal of the High School of Portsmouth, N. H.

1911—Miss Hazel P. Leard has just accepted a position in Portland High School. Until very recently she has been teaching German and History in the South Portland High School where she has been very successful.

The marriage of Mary Emma McLean, of Augusta, a student at Bates College for two years, and Frederick Walter Hillman, 1911, of Island Falls, recently took place at Augusta. Mr. Hillman is engaged in highway engineering.

1912—Supt. Charles H. Abbott of Turner is attending the National Convention of School Superintendents in Richmond, Va.

Miss Belle Twombly is teaching history at Townsend, Mass.

Miss Annabel Jones of South China, Me., was a recent visitor at Cheney House.

Florence A. Rideout has been elected to teach English in the High School at Norway, Maine.

Margaret T. Tubbs is assistant in the Academy at McIndoes, Vt. Miss Tubbs is a very popular teacher.

1912—Harry W. Rowe, field secretary of the Maine Christian Endeavor Union, is to be field secretary for Northern New England. His territory embraces the states of Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont. His headquarters will be at Waterville.

1913—Leon E. Cash is teaching in Litchfield Academy, Litchfield, Maine.

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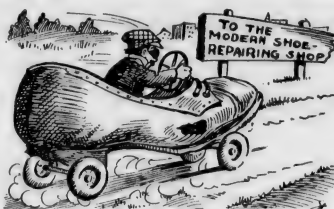
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, MARCH 5

7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.

### FRIDAY, MARCH 6

1.30 P.M. Freshman Public Speaking.

4.30 P.M. Press Club.

8.00 P.M. Girls' Musical Club Concert, Main St. F. B. Church.

### SATURDAY, MARCH 7

2.00 P.M. Freshman Declamations, Prize Division.

### SUNDAY, MARCH 8

4.00 P.M. Musical Vespers in the Chapel.

### MONDAY, MARCH 9

1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.

4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.

6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current Events Clubs.

6.45 P.M. Men's Social Service Courses.

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7.30 P.M. Jordan Scientific Society.

### TUESDAY, MARCH 10

6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Clubs.

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11

6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.

6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

## LECTURE OF DR. FRANCIS

The fourth lecture in the series of the George Colby Chase Lecture Course took place, Wednesday evening, at the Main Street Free Baptist Church. Rev. James A. Francis, D.D., of Boston, who was introduced by Dr. Hartshorn, defended his reputation as one of the leading clergymen of New England. He spoke on the "Modern Order of Saints and Sinners." He gave a most unique and practical interpretation of the term "Social Service." The substance of his

address was as follows: Ideals rule the world! Jesus had for His ideal, the Cross; Judas, thirty pieces of silver. Personal ideals unite to form the ideals for human society. "No man liveth unto himself." Each man is related to all other men in every part of the world. That is why a man not only ought to develop an individual conscience, but a social conscience. Christianity makes the human conscience; hence, it makes for personal and social virtues. And it is these virtues that are being used to bring about the Kingdom of God. But, as there must be material to build upon, God must have good men and women. Regeneration of the individual is a good thing, and the same thing must be applied to the group—regeneration. Then, there must be team-work in the Kingdom of God—everybody working together for the common good. It is our business to make Christians of all we can, for social improvement can never take the place of personal religion. Religion is giving men a chance, and that is what is meant by social service. We have a program of God's purpose concerning the Kingdom in the form of a prayer which Jesus taught His disciples: Our Father, who are in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name *on earth* as it is in Heaven; Thy Kingdom come *on earth* as it has come in Heaven; Thy will be done *on earth* as it is done in Heaven. In this is a challenge to broaden our conception and fight for Christ's dream of the Kingdom of God!

## INDOOR TRACK MEET

The relay events for the Indoor Meet are as follows:

Interclass Relays.

Bowdoin, '17, vs. Bates '17,

Westbrook vs. Portland High School.

St. Dominique vs. Crescent Club.

Webster Grammar vs. Frye Grammar.

The trophies to be awarded to winners will be placed upon exhibition in the window of Babcock & Sharpe, on Lisbon Street. The coupons for reserved seats may be bought in advance at the same place.



### BATES INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATING LEAGUE

Professor A. C. Baird has been busily engaged for the past few weeks in organizing an Interscholastic Debating League. The arrangements are now completed and Prof. Baird announces that six high schools have already entered the league. The schools that have joined are Maine Central Institute, Deering High, South Paris High, Camden High, Rockland High and Rumford High.

The teams from all six schools will debate the same question in the preliminaries, the semi-finals and the finals. This question is, *Resolved*, That material increases in our navy are desirable. The preliminary debates will be held about the first of April, and all the preliminaries will be held on the same evening. These debates will be between the following teams: South Paris versus Rumford; Maine Central Institute versus Deering; Camden versus Rockland.

Three teams will be eliminated in this first debate. The semi-finals will eliminate one of the three winners in the preliminaries. The two remaining teams will meet at Bates for the final championship debate. The team winning this debate will be awarded a handsome trophy cup.

The successful organization of this league means much to Bates, for one of our great needs is a closer relationship with the preparatory schools of our state. Perhaps there is no better way of securing this desired relation between the college and high school than by just such interscholastic organizations as this, under the supervision of the college. Prof. Baird surely deserves our thanks and our support in this work he has begun.

### 'VARSITY DEBATING

The final selection of the members of the 'varsity debating teams was made after the preliminary debate last week. The team to debate against Tufts is composed of G. C. Marsden, '14, F. E. Kennedy, '16, and E. A.

Harding, '15; alternate, P. H. Dow, '14. The team to debate Colgate is J. R. Packard, '14, E. L. Saxton, '15, and G. B. Gustin, '15; alternate, L. R. Carey, '15.

A new feature in intercollegiate debating at Bates was introduced at the beginning of this week. This departure was the starting of a training table at the College Commons for the 'varsity teams. Its purpose is the same as that of a training table for an athletic team, that is to turn out a better team. It is thought that physical fitness is as necessary in a debating team as in any other team, but, in addition to this, it is believed that a greater advantage will be derived from the association and the close fellowship that naturally springs up among table companions.

### SOPHOMORE CHAMPION DEBATE

The annual Champion Sophomore Debate was held last Friday evening in Hathorn Hall. The program was as follows:

#### Music

Prayer Rev. C. H. Temple  
Announcement of Question Prof. L. G. Jordan

#### Question for Debate:

*Resolved*, That the Monroe Doctrine should be abandoned as a part of the permanent foreign policy of the United States.

#### SPEAKERS

<i>Affirmative</i>	<i>Negative</i>
Guy A. Pickard	Frank E. Kennedy
Harold B. Clifford	Miss Hazel A. Mitchell
Miss Agnes Bryant	Harold J. Cloutman
Henry P. Johnson	William W. McCann

#### ALTERNATES

Robert A. Green Raymond D. Stillman  
Rebuttal Speeches

#### Music

#### Decision of Judges

The judges, Rev. C. H. Temple, G. C. Webber, Esq., and E. M. Briggs, Esq., awarded the prize of fifteen dollars for the team presenting the best argument to the negative side. The prize of ten dollars for the best individual debate was awarded to Harold J. Cloutman.

The committee of arrangements was composed of Walter F. Oakman, Miss Mona P. Hodnett, and Erland S. Townsend.



There was special interest in this debate owing to the fact that the question was the same as the question for our 'varsity debate tion.

In the 'varsity debate our team will uphold the affirmative side of the Monroe question with Colgate.

The question that is being debated in the Bowdoin Interscholastic Debating League is practically the same question, stated somewhat differently. Several members of teams in that league were present at the Sophomore Debate.

#### LOCALS

The chapel exercises on February 26 were conducted by Rev. Everett S. Stackpole of Bradford, Mass. There was also present Mr. Neil D. Cranmer, Travelling Secretary of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association. Mr. Cranmer spoke of the work of the Association, which, originating in the central West, was organized in 1900, for the purpose of bringing about national prohibition in the United States. There are branches in 260 colleges, and last year \$5,000 was given in prizes to winners of the oratorical contests in which 700 participated. In the East there are branches at Harvard, Yale, Boston, Cambridge, Wesleyan, Bowdoin, Rhode Island State, and Brown.

In the evening Mr. Cranmer spoke at Roger Williams Chapel on the purposes and achievements of the National League, saying that according to records the drink question was vital in China as early as 2100 B. C. The first temperance society in the United States was organized in 1809. Mr. Cranmer discussed some of the most common arguments against national prohibition, setting forth facts in refutation of each. He said that the laboring man needs health and efficiency and that the saloon takes both from him. He said that pledge-signing will never settle the question, and that local option has its limitations. The Association endorses the amendment introduced by R. P. Hobson of Alabama, prohibiting the manufacture, sale, importation, ex-

portation, and transportation of all alcoholic liquors for beverage purposes.

After the lecture a resolution was passed to form a local league at Bates, following the general plan of the National League. This resolution was adopted and the league formed, having as its main office, the promotion of the practical study of the liquor problem, and related social and political questions; to advance the principles of prohibition and to secure the enlistment of students for service and leadership in the overthrow of the liquor traffic. The membership is open to the students and members of the faculty, and it is felt that a great interest can be awakened in supplementing this movement. The following officers were elected: President, G. C. Marsden, '14; Vice-President, George B. Gustin, '15; Secretary, Louis Jordan, '15; Treasurer, R. A. Greene, '16; Reporter, A. D. Gray, '17.

The Spofford Club book will soon be for sale. The name is *The Spofford Stylus*. It is a collection of short stories, poems, and essays, representing the best work of alumnae and student members of the club. Copies may be engaged from any of the club members. The price is one dollar.

#### MIRROR

Work on the *Mirror*, the annual publication of the Senior Class, is progressing well. A greater part of the material is already in the hands of the printer. Members of the Faculty or student body desiring copies of this book should arrange with Mr. Rawson, 13 Parker Hall, before March 15th. The price of the book, handsomely bound in leather, is ten dollars.

Although primarily a Senior class book, the *Mirror* is in reality a college annual. A greater part of the book is devoted to the faculty and student activities. It is comprised of 300 pages containing at least 500 cuts. A large number should avail themselves of this opportunity to get a complete record of the college activities from 1910 to 1914.

The Editorial Board would be glad to receive any contributions for publication. All material must be passed in before March 20.



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Now the questions at once arise, do not these principles apply to the college world? Is not the college the place to cultivate them? Every college man who feels that he has a real purpose in life realizes that the habits of punctuality, honesty, and application must be formed during his college career.

We meet with the obligation to be punctual on every hand. For recitations and college functions, we are reminded by the bell. The real test of punctuality comes, however, at such times when we must rely upon our own

personality. When the treasurer of some college activity to which we have, of our own accord, allied ourselves, presents us with a bill, then is our punctuality tested.

The element of honesty no one will, knowingly, hesitate to support. Its practice means the establishment of the future business world upon a foundation that cannot be easily shaken. Its practice also signifies the betterment of society. Therefore, the college men and women must determine upon just what basis business activities and society ideals will rest.

Lastly, the application of the individual to higher ideals stimulates his associates with the same desires. If he gives himself over to the genuine college spirit, he is sowing the seed that will grow and finally culminate in a rousing cheering squad to support the college athletic teams.

By the observance of these qualities of character, it is possible to benefit not only the few, but, to the same degree, society at large. Their non-observance must result in the other extreme, both to the individual and to the outside world.

## MUSICAL CLUBS

The Glee and Mandolin Clubs gave a very pleasing concert Tuesday evening, February 24, in the Pine street Congregational Church. The soloists were Mr. Hadley, '14, and Mr. Morgridge, '14. The readings were by Mr. Hinton, '17, and Mr. Carey, '15. The solo by Mr. Morgridge was especially well received.

The Annual Joint Concert of the Bates-Bowdoin Musical Clubs has been announced for Monday evening, March 23, at the Lewiston City Hall. Bowdoin has an excellent Musical Club this year and their concerts are always very enjoyable. The Bates Clubs will prepare new music for this concert in order not to repeat the selections given at their regular concert in this city last week.



## THE CRUISE OF THE MARY BELLE

"Say! wait till I heave the anchor, will you, Had? Oh, hang it all, she drags. This bottom doesn't hold. Hey! swing her around, will you? Oh, thunder, look out for the Mary Belle!"

But the words had come too late, and the nose of the smaller boat came with a glancing blow against the side of the Mary Belle, taking off more or less paint.

"Back her up now. Here! I'll catch the buoy. All right, shut her off."

After she was "shut off" the Boss, Had, and I, sculled over in the skiff and climbed aboard the Mary Belle. The Mary Belle, by the way, was the snuggest little craft of a house boat that you ever saw. Slender and narrow at the bow, the lines ran back to a sturdy stern, flat and wide. Gay awnings fluttered from the deck and a broad, soft hammock swung violently back and forth as the Mary Belle lumbered and swashed in the wake which the smaller boat stirred up. Had and I unlocked the cabin and dropped in to bathe our burned faces, and then went out to rearrange the pillows in the hammock. The Boss, after fastening the skiff, calmly sat on the broad deckrail and began hunting in his pockets.

"What you after?" inquired Had.

"Supper," says the Boss laconically. With that he pulled out a fishline and began to unwind it.

"You can't catch anything here," I said—having, of course, to dip my oar into the conversation.

"Can't I?" says the Boss, calmly smashing a clam on the rail and fitting the soft bits on the hook. I waited scornfully; but very soon the Boss jerked his line high, and then began to pull in, and sure enough a pretty little, slender, brown fish with wavy feelers came up.

"What's that?" I asked interestedly.

"Hake."

"Those aren't good to eat."

"Aren't they?" says he non-committally. They were, too, and I ate at least my full share.

After supper Had and the Boss went into the cabin to read, but I, being as yet new to the delights of the Mary Belle, sat comfortably back in the hammock, swaying lazily with the soft heave of the tide, and watching a perfectly white moon as large as barrel come rising above the black, pointed evergreens on the little island not far away.

I lay there for a long time, until the white light seemed to be irresistible in its drawing power. Then I crept into the skiff, turned her loose, and paddled softly for the shore. I had a strange premonition of danger as I crept up the rocks, but was wholly unprepared for the view before me. One end of the island was walled up and barricaded like a large fort, and a flag fluttered from its top, clear cut in the moonlight. I knew that the people on the island had been more or less divided into factions, but I had never even dreamed of a clash of arms over it. Why, it would not be allowed in these civilized times, I was remonstrating to myself—when I saw a dark figure wriggling along over the cliffs. Then I discovered another wriggling form behind him, and another, and another, until terrified, I saw that a whole file of dark forms were winding and creeping in a sinuous, snaky line upon the wall of the fortress. I had a desperate impulse to cry out, to scream; but I stood fascinated by the slow crawl of the line, and by the shivering flashes of blue light, as though from the moonlight striking upon polished steel. The gray wall of the fortress stood impassive and cold with the frost of moonlight upon it. Suddenly that cold seemed to penetrate my very heart, and I shivered with a terrible dread of bloodshed—death agony. Here in this twentieth century, here on my favorite island—so beautiful. One after another the summer girls whirled past my vision—gay and happy no longer; but stiff and white with horror. And I could save them—I must somehow—I must warn the people in the fort. I tried again to cry out, but the horror of the thing shut over me like a great press—crushing out my breath, gripping my throat and suffocating me, when



without warning there came a blinding flash from the fort, followed almost instantly by a mighty roar that shook the very rocks under me, and rolled and rumbled for miles along the bay. Terrified I slipped, and tumbled and found myself upon the deck of the Mary Belle.

Still bewildered and frightened, I rose to my feet just as another blinding light and reverberating roar came over the end of the island. With one sweep I caught up the magazines and sofa pillows in my arms, for this certainly was a fearful thunder shower that crashed so about my ears. Then I dropped my load just as suddenly, for the moon was riding clear and high and the stars shone brightly in the darker spaces. I was completely stunned, and in terror cried out to Had and the Boss, for I no longer knew whether I was I, or even the Mary Belle was all a dream.

"What's the matter, kid?" said the Boss as he stooped thru the little cabin door. But just then a great flash lighted up the whole Southern sky, and in an instant came a terrible dull crash that shook the Mary Belle and made her rock restlessly.

"Had," called the Boss excitedly, "Come here quick. They've begun the cannonading in Portland, and we can see the flashes." I looked furtively over at the island, but it lay still and dark, brooded over by the pointed evergreens and their cold sheen of moonlight.

After a while the Boss clambored around to see that the anchor ropes of the Mary Belle were tight. Then as he yawned visibly and stretched his arms he said sleepily, "Here's where I turn in."

MARION R. SANBORN, '14.

#### TEMPERANCE ORATIONS

A letter received from Neil D. Cranmer, who organized the Bates Prohibition League here last week, states that he has interviewed Mr. Horace Purinton of Waterville, the donor of the prizes for the Temperance Orations. Mr. Purinton is willing to let his contest be the state contest of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association. "This year the rules

will probably remain as he has arranged them," writes Mr. Cranmer, "but next year will be changed to the I. P. A. rules in conformity with our other states. The man who wins the state contest in order to get into the interstate must cut his oration down to 1500 words, maximum."

The local contest, the preliminary to the state contest for the Purinton prizes, will probably be held the last of this month, shortly before the Easter recess.

#### FRESHMAN DECLAMATIONS

The Freshman declamations began a week ago Tuesday. Five of the six divisions of the class have already spoken, and the last division comes to-morrow afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. As for many years past, the presiding officer at the preliminary speaking has been Professor Stanton. R. B. Parker, '14, W. C. Warren, '14, and Miss Ruth Sylvester, '14, have been the judges. After the last division has spoken to-morrow, the selection of six young ladies and six young men will be made for the Prize Division. This division comes at 2.00 P.M., Saturday, in Hathorn Hall. Prizes are awarded to the best man and to the best woman in this division.

#### MUSICAL CLUBS

The annual concert of the Girls' Musical Clubs will be given in the Main Street Free Baptist Church, Lewiston, on March 6, at 8 P.M. Following is the program:

##### PART I.

Carmena—H. Lane Wilson

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Love's Old, Sweet Song—Molloy

MANDOLIN TRIO

Reading—Selected

MISS SANBORN, '14

The Rose in the Garden—Reidlinger

GLEE CLUB

Yankee Boys—Weidt

MANDOLIN CLUB

(a) What the Chimney Sang—Grisewold

(b) When Love is Kind

GLEE CLUB



## PART II.

- (a) Lady Meddlesome—Stahl  
 (b) Sleigh Ride  
 Polka—Schaeffer

MANDOLIN CLUB

Reading—Selected

MISS SANBORN, '14

Midsummer Waltzes

MANDOLIN TRIO

- (a) Bluebells of Scotland—Schnelling  
 (b) The Pussy Cat and the Mouse—Conant  
 GLEE CLUB QUARTET

The Three Graces—Eaton

MANDOLIN CLUB

Serenade to Juanita—Jouberti-Spicker

GLEE CLUB

Alma Mater

COMBINED CLUBS

Much time and attention have been given by the young ladies of the club to make this concert a success. The club is large and has been particularly fortunate in the material of this incoming class. This will be an entertainment well worth our support.

## BASEBALL

The preliminary schedule for the second team that has been announced by Assistant Manager Gerry reads as follows:

Saturday, April 18, Turner Center at Turner.

Wednesday, April 22, pending.

Saturday, April 25, Bowdoin 2d at Lewiston.

Wednesday, April 29, Hebron Academy at Hebron.

Saturday, May 2, Westbrook Seminary at Lewiston.

Friday, May 8, M. C. I. at Lewiston.

Saturday, May 9, Kent's Hill Seminary at Kent's Hill.

Wednesday, May 13, pending.

Friday, May 15, Bliss Business College at Lewiston.

Tuesday, May 19, Lewiston High School at Lewiston.

Saturday, May 23, Norway High School Norway.

Friday, May 29, pending.

## MARCH MUSING

Heigh-ho, the long, lone, dreary afternoon;  
 Wind shrieking, lulling now and then croon;  
 The beating rain  
 Against the pane,  
 The black trees tossing their bare branches  
 high,  
 Grey waters stretching out to meet grey sky.

Heigh-ho, the forms and faces that go by  
 In long procession thru the memory;  
 Where now are they?  
 O hark, I pray!  
 What voice was that I heard above the rain?  
 Be still, my heart, the wind but moaned again.  
 ALICE LAURY, '17.

## ALUMNI NOTES

The following is a list of Bates alumni holding positions as Superintendent of Schools in Maine for the year 1913-14:

W. S. Adams, 1904, Milo.

Charles H. Abbott, 1912, Turner.

W. M. Bottomley, Berwick.

F. W. Burrill, 1897, Brewer.

D. J. Callahan, 1876, Lewiston.

H. J. Chase, 1891, Gardiner.

D. Herman Corson, 1908, Jonesport.

O. H. Drake, 1881, Pittsfield.

W. H. S. Ellinwood, 1901, Rumford.

Harry E. Fortier, 1904, Hartland.

Lee B. Hunt, 1883, Gray.

Jesse M. Libby, 1871, Mechanic Falls.

Wm. M. Marr, 1901, Patten.

John C. Merrill, 1906, East Machias.

True C. Morrill, 1907, Norway.

B. E. Packard, 1900, Camden.

George E. Paine, 1886, East Vassalboro.

Ernest L. Palmer, 1899, Bar Harbor.

I. C. Phillips, 1876, Farmington.

C. A. Record, 1892, Supt. of Blaine, Mars Hill District.

L. A. Ross, 1883, Dexter.

H. I. Smith, 1901, Boothbay Harbor.

Isaac H. Storer, 1886, Wells.

G. A. Stuart, 1877, Rockland.

Guy F. Williams, 1908, Solon.

L. E. Williams, 1901, Southwest Harbor.



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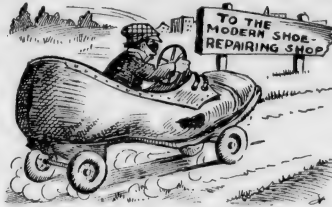
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## CALENDAR

- THURSDAY, MARCH 12  
7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.  
8.00 P.M. Annual Indoor Interclass Track Meet, Lewiston City Hall.
- FRIDAY, MARCH 13  
4.30 P.M. Press Club.  
7.30 P.M. Literary Societies.
- SUNDAY, MARCH 15  
4.00 P.M. Musical Vespers in the Chapel.
- MONDAY, MARCH 16  
1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current Events Clubs.
- 6.45 P.M. Men's Social Service Courses.
- TUESDAY, MARCH 17  
6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Clubs.
- WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18  
6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

## LECTURE BY DR. EMERSON

On Thursday afternoon, March 5th, a delightful informal reception and tea was given in Fiske Room, Rand Hall, by Miss Buswell and the college girls to their parents and friends. The guests had the great pleasure of listening to Dr. Mary Alice Emerson who spoke upon "The Opportunities and Responsibilities of the College Woman of To-day and of To-morrow."

Dr. Emerson was the first woman to be granted seminar privileges at Oxford University, England. She is prominent in America as a lecturer and editor, and is now connected with the English department at Boston University. She said, in part:

"The attitude toward college education for women has undergone three distinct changes. The first period, from 1870 to 1885, was experimental or tentative; the second, from 1885 to 1900, was the popular period; the third, the one in which we are now living, is the strenuous or intensive period.

"There are three questions facing the college girl of to-day. What am I best fitted to do when I leave college? How can I fit myself to do this best thing? With what persons and causes will I ally myself?

"Each letter in the word 'youth' stands for a certain characteristic of youth. 'Y' stands for yeast, the leaven, the raising quality; 'O' stands for optimism; 'U' for just you; 'T' for truth; 'H' for honesty.

To-morrow will bring the crown to the three stages. The best in the old will be kept, but something new will be added. It will be poise and tolerance."

## SOCIAL SERVICE COURSES

The first four lectures in the Men's Social Service Courses were given Monday evening, February 23, in Hathorn Hall and Roger Williams Chapel. The courses are being conducted by Rev. J. H. Nolan, Trinity Church, on the subject, City Social Problems; Professor A. C. Baird, Rural Problems; Rev. H. P. Woodin, High Street Congregational Church, Chinese Social Problems; and Mr. A. G. Ireland, Boy Leadership.

There are five lectures in each of the four courses, given Monday evenings at 6.45.

## POLITICS CLUB

At the meeting of the Politics Club last evening the topic discussed was the Monroe Doctrine. This subject is of vital importance just now, as it is to be debated with Colgate in our third debate with that institution. We have divided honors with Colgate thus far, and this is to be the deciding contest.

## SCHOLARSHIP BEQUEST

The will of Mrs. Ellen B. Scruton, who died recently in Lewiston, left a fund of \$1,000 to Bates College to endow a scholarship which shall be known as the Ellen Byron Scruton Scholarship Fund.



## FRESHMAN PRIZE SPEAKING

The Prize Division of the Freshman Speaking was held last Saturday afternoon in Hathorn Hall at 2 o'clock. Professor Harts-horn presided and the judges were Prof. S. R. Oldham, Miss Sara Morgan and Mr. William M. Cullen. The prize for the young woman was awarded to Miss Elinor Newman. It was necessary to postpone the declamations for the young men till last Tuesday afternoon. At that time the prize for the young men was awarded to Arthur L. Purinton.

The prize division included the following speakers:

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| 1. Capital Punishment                   | <i>Weeks</i>        |
| Genevieve Dunlap                        |                     |
| 2. Against Centralization of Government | <i>Grady</i>        |
| Herbert E. Hinton                       |                     |
| 3. The Barrel Organ                     | <i>Alfred Noyes</i> |
| Ruth L. Sturgis                         |                     |
| 4. A Vision of War                      | <i>Ingersoll</i>    |
| Theodore E. Bacon                       |                     |
| 5. Billy Brad and the Forbidden Fruit   | <i>Butler</i>       |
| Marion J. Wellman *                     |                     |
| 6. Secret Executions                    | <i>Hugo</i>         |
| Perley W. Lane                          |                     |
| 7. A Mother of Many                     | <i>Donnell</i>      |
| Eleanor Richmond                        |                     |
| 8. Speech Nominating Woodrow Wilson     | <i>Wescott</i>      |
| Charles C. Chayer                       |                     |
| 9. The Admiral's Ghost                  | <i>Alfred Noyes</i> |
| Aileen D. Lougee                        |                     |
| 10. The New Freedom                     | <i>Wilson</i>       |
| Douglas M. Gay                          |                     |
| 11. Angela Decides                      | <i>Powers</i>       |
| Elinor Newman                           |                     |
| 12. Lincoln                             | <i>Roosevelt</i>    |
| Arthur L. Purinton                      |                     |

## JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

At the meeting of the Jordan Scientific Society last Monday evening, March 9, a paper on the "Life History of the American Lobster" was read by L. R. Sullivan, '14. H. W. Hamilton, '14, spoke on the subject, "Some Causes of Old Age."

## WIND SONGS

The wind goes whispering to the trees,  
The songs that he hears on his journeys far;  
Sometimes the buzz songs of the bees,  
Sometimes the whirring of a star.  
From the night out into the night he goes;  
And the limbs and the leaves, they hear his  
song,

And sing to the people all night long,  
The newest songs that their piper blows.

All is sad, and drear, and cold.  
All is cold, and sad, and dreary;  
Death is young and youth is old,  
Age is weak and manhood weary;  
Hide and bide  
By the fireside,  
Night is come and you're sad and weary.

The ship sails out in the teeth of the gale,  
Out 'round the point to open sea.  
And never a ship has carried sail  
That carried so gay a crew as we.  
The white tops flop and chop on the reef,  
And the combers roll and rage on the shore,  
And the merchantmen all fly relief.  
And bale their sails in folded reefs.  
The merchantmen all fly relief,  
We're tight all right and taut for more.

Greatest of all the griefs to me  
Is the fearless sadness of the sea.  
Mist that falls I know not why,  
Songs that fade and joys that die,  
Unreturning argosy.

Bright night and gay, and the warm, clear sky,  
And the bench and the music and long lagoon,  
With its play of lantern-light and moon,  
And the singing gondoliers gliding by,  
A dream-song all of it in tune,  
And we sang to it and loved it—you and I!  
Boom and rattle and thunder,  
Whistle and peal and crash—  
Valley as black as a hell gap  
Blacker in flare and flash.  
Charge and form and mean it,  
Rally and forward again,



Groan, gasp and fall,  
And that's about all  
Of the ballad of fighting men.

The wind is whispering to the trees,  
And they learn his songs to sing to you.  
The chirp of the birds or the hum of bees  
Or banjo tune when the work is thru.  
From the night out into the night he goes  
And the limbs and the leaves both learn his  
strain,  
And sing the wind's songs o'er again,  
The newest songs that their piper blows.

### INDOOR MEET

Great interest has been shown in the outcome of the Indoor Meet to be held in City Hall, Thursday evening. Class rivalry is very keen for it has been a number of years since the teams were so evenly matched. The management is offering a beautiful silk banner, which has been made to order for the meet, to the class winning the highest number of points. The banner and other trophies are on exhibition in the window of Babcock's Drug Store on Lisbon Street.

The class relay trials were held Monday, March 9, 1914. The distance was the same as will be run in city hall at the meet. The following men are the ones who made the best time and who will probably make up the class relay teams:

Seniors—Nevers, 19.1 sec.; Tomblen, 19.4; Coady, 20; and Stinson, 20.3. Juniors—Small, 19.1 sec.; Mansfield, 20; Nash, 20.3; Seavey, 20.3; and Clifford, 20.3. Sophomores—Kennedy, 19.1 sec.; Cummings, 20; Boyd, 20.1; Snow, 20.1.

Freshmen—Connors, 20 sec.; Davis, 20.2; House, 20.1; Segal, 20.3.

According to this time the Seniors have the fastest team, but only the competition of the Indoor Meet will show which is the best team.

The squad has been greatly handicapped for the last two weeks by the illness of Coach Lathrop. Although track work has continued in a way the coach has been sadly missed.

### Y. W. C. A.

Wednesday evening, Feb. 25, the Annual Business Meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held and the following officers were elected: President, Esther Wadsworth, '15. Vice-President, Mona Hodnett, '16. Secretary, Celia Smith, '17. Treasurer, Winnefred Jewell, '15. After the election of officers, refreshments were served.

The Y. W. C. A. Meeting of March 11th, was led by Mona Hodnett, '16, and Florence Wilson, '16, who took up the subject "The Secret of Happiness." A solo was sung by Miss Foss, '14.

At the Sunday Evening Vespers in Fiske Hall, this week, Professor Ramsdell gave an interesting talk on "The Artist's Eye."

The Current Events Clubs were held as usual this week.

The G. A. A. is planning to present a farce soon, for the purpose of increasing the sum already obtained for fixing the grounds about Rand Hall.

### PRESS CLUB

The next meeting of the Press Club will be held at 4.30 P.M., Friday, in Libby Forum. At that time the club will be addressed by Editor Wood, of the *Lewiston Daily Sun*, on "Some Phases of Journalism." This talk by an experienced journalist and editor, is sure to be of great benefit to the members of the Press Club, and all are urged to make a special effort to attend this meeting.

### ROUND TABLE

Thursday, March 5, the Round Table was entertained by Professor and Mrs. Ramsdell, and Professor and Mrs. Whitehorne. The speaker of the evening was Mary Alice Emerson, Ph.D., of Boston. Miss Helen Hilton played a piano solo at the opening of the meeting. Delicious refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held March 20, at the home of Professor and Mrs. Gould.



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Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Council to act in conjunction with the officers of the several dormitories in promoting the convenience, the comfort, and the satisfaction

of the occupants, and to assist the appropriate authorities in maintaining order in the buildings and on the college campus.

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Y. M. C. A.

At the meeting of the Y. M. C. A., Wednesday evening, March 4, the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, E. L. Saxton, '15; Vice-President, R. D. Stillman, '16; Secretary, P. W. Lane, '17; Treasurer, Prof. H. R. Purinton. The Advisory Board will be composed of the following members: Senior member, E. A. Harding, '15; Junior member, R. E. Merrill, '16; Faculty member, Prof. S. F. Harms; city member, John L. Reade. Mr. O. F. Cutts of New York was chosen corresponding member to take the place of Wayne Jordan whose absence from this country severed his connection with the work of the Y. M. C. A. in Bates to a great extent.



## OF THE ELECT

"Yes, Lyddy, I saw it plain as day," shouted Hiram Norton excitedly, as he came in from the kitchen, his dust-grimed face working with emotion, and his toil-hardened hands gesticulating wildly. "It's just as plain as 'twas last night, and, if you don't believe it, you come and look for yourself. I'll leave it to the company."

"Hiram has gone clean daft over signs and portents," explained Lyddy to the wondering assembly of neighbors who had gathered at the Norton home to enjoy the festivities of a quilting party. "He gets worse and worse," continued the aggrieved wife, "it ain't enough that he hears rappings in the walls and sees lights in the graveyard, but now he must needs be seeing crosses on the moon, and dogs on the sun, and I don't know what all."

"But you can see for yourself, Lyddy," persisted the irrepressible husband, "I hope to die if you can't. You all jest come out and see it."

"Don't you stir a step," commanded the disgusted wife. "It's all his own get up. You go along with the game." And, having reassured the company, she accompanied her husband to the kitchen, and, on the way, imparted a bit of "housewifely" advice. "Do you suppose I want Tom, Dick, and Harry poking around my kitchen to see if I keep the corners cleaned out, and the floor mopped?"

"I don't know about that," interrupted Hiram, "but it means something when, for two nights running, we see that sign in the heavens."

"Where is your cross?" asked Lyddy, approaching the open door, "I don't see no—" she stopped in amazement, for, sure enough, on the surface of the full moon, which was just rising over the "Meeting-House Hill," was outlined a tiny golden cross.

"Didn't I tell you so?" shouted Hiram, triumphantly. "It's a warning, that's what it is, and I wouldn't wonder if 'twas on account of Lizzie and Samuel. I told you trouble

would come of it, sure as fate. Here's our Lizzie, the daughter of a church elder, and brought up piously if I do say it, and it ain't right for her to marry that Samuel Barnes, who ain't even a perfesser of religion."

"Stuff and nonsense!" ejaculated Lyddy, "If the good Lord has put a sign in the sky it's for something more important than our Lizzie's engagement to Sam Barnes. I guess I'll have the folks come out and see it, after all."

A lively game of "Fox and Geese" was in progress, but a word from Lyddy brought the company to the kitchen door, where they peered over each other's shoulders to catch a glimpse of the alleged portent. A hush of awe fell upon the spectators; never before had one of them witnessed a sight which came so near to the supernatural.

"It's a forerunner of the Judgment Day," whispered one good sister to her neighbor.

"It's a warning against these perdition parties," croaked a sour-faced spinster, who was never known to be absent from any social gathering. "My conscience troubles me every time I go."

"I dunno but you're right," admitted Elder Pennell, who *always* attended the parties, merely for the sake of enjoying the bountiful supper which preceded the evening festivities. "I guess we'd better go home, anyway."

The evening's enjoyment had been spoiled by the incident, so the party broke up at once, and one group after another took leave and made their way homeward. But evidently the portent was not for them, for no sooner had the company left the house than the cross disappeared from their sight. They marvelled at first, but soon forgot the incident as they strolled homeward in the soft light of the friendly moon.

But gloom still hung over the Norton home. The cross was still visible to them, and a sense of impending evil filled the minds of the family. After the last guest had de-



parted, Lizzie seated herself at the open door and divided her attention between the mysterious cross and the village road, which shone clear and white in the moonlight. The reason for her interest in the village turnpike was soon made evident when a horse and carriage became visible in the distance. Stopping his team before the house, Samuel Barnes descended from the carriage, and, still holding the reins, advanced to the doorsteps.

"Have you seen it?" questioned Lizzie breathlessly.

"Seen what?" answered Samuel.

"Why, the warning, the cross on the moon," replied Lizzie, indicating the horizon with a trembling fore-finger.

"I don't see nothing," asserted Samuel, after a vain attempt to discover something remarkable in the familiar outline of the harvest moon.

"Mother, Samuel says he can't see anything," called Lizzie to her mother in the next room. "It's plain as day, Sam, don't you see that cross-piece? It almost hits the church spire?"

"I don't see a solitary thing," declared Samuel.

"Then it's as I said," asserted Father Norton to his wife. "It means he ain't a fit companion for our Lizzie. He ain't one of the elect. He ain't got the vision. It's a warning, I tell you."

"What's the matter with you to-night, Lizzie, seeing things?" questioned the young man from the doorstep. "Where's the party?"

"Why, they went home as soon as they see it, and you'd better go home and get your mother, and then come back and stay with us. Maybe it's the end of the world coming."

"I'm going home and go to bed," retorted Samuel. "But I'll be over to-morrow night, providing the world still stands," he added jokingly.

"He's blasphemous," said Father Norton in a shocked voice. "I tell you, Lizzie, he ain't the man for you. We'll give him another test, but, if that cross is there to-morrow

night, and he can't see it, it's a sign he's an outcast from the fold, and you can't have nothing more to do with him. Remember, Lizzie."

The night passed without much sleep in the Norton household. Day dawned bringing regular duties and forgetfulness, but when night came on and the cross was again visible, Father Norton repeated the admonition to his daughter. True to his word, young Barnes made his appearance early in the evening, but Lizzie stopped him on the threshold.

"Can't you see that cross, Samuel?" she pleaded, holding the screen to keep him from entering.

"On my honor, Lizzie, I can't see a thing but the same old moon that has shone over 'Meetin' House Hill' since I was a boy."

"Then it's all up with you and me," said Lizzie, bursting into tears. "Father says you can't see because you ain't of the elect, and you know how set father is, he says you can't come here any more—"

"Your father can go hang, with all of his superstitions, too"—began Samuel.

"But I see it myself," protested Lizzie. "I guess maybe it's all for the best. You'd better go, Samuel. I'll go to the gate with you." She opened the door, but ignored Samuel's offered arm, as she walked beside him. "If only you could see—" she began, then stopped. "Well, I never! Why, where is the cross? I can't see it, either." She stared in open-eyed astonishment at the golden orb, in which the cross was no longer visible.

"You wait a minute," said Samuel, stepping inside the door and closing the screen behind him. "It's this old wire screening. Some how it draws out the moon rays at different angles, and it does give the effect of a cross. I can see it myself."

Lizzie stepped back into the house and gazed for a minute at the moon with its golden cross. "That's so, Samuel, ain't it? I guess you're one of the elect all right. Let's go find father."

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1879—Walter E. Ranger, chairman of the Rhode Island State Board of Education, attended the annual Convention of Superintendents of the National Educational Association at Richmond, Va., Feb. 22-28. Mr. Ranger is vice-president of that association.

1896—H. L. Douglass is the owner of two large ranches in White Salmon, Wash., about fifty miles from Portland, Oregon. He is also interested in a financial way, in orcharding.

1899—Hon. Alton C. Wheeler spoke by invitation to the Literary Union of Lewiston, Thursday afternoon, on Parliamentary Law.

1901—Harry L. Moore is Supt. of Schools at Berlin, N. H. For several years he has been prominent in educational work in New Hampshire. In 1906 he was appointed Supt. of the school district of Alton, Wolfsboro and Tuftonboro, a position which he filled with great success until last fall when he was elected to his present office at Berlin.

1903—Dr. Lester H. Trufant is a physician in Norway, Maine.

Miss Jeanne Towle is a teacher in the High School at Paris, Maine.

Miss Susan Kendrick is teaching at Monmouth Academy.

1906—The engagement of Miss Alice I. Sawin of Brimfield, Mass., to Irving G. Davis, Bates, '06, has recently been announced. Mr. Davis is instructor in the Brimfield Vocational Agricultural School. He was the first teacher of the agricultural course in Hopkins Academy in Hadley, and he inaugurated the work of the Brimfield Agricultural School last fall. He is very successful in his department.

1908—John Carver is principal of the Paris High School.

Wallace Clifford is attending Harvard Medical School.

1909—The news of the death of Mrs. Iola Walker Ames of Spokane, Washington, has just been received in Peru. She was a graduate from Bates in the class of 1909, and in 1910 married Rev. Wm. P. Ames of the same class.

1913—Miss Esther Huckins, teacher of German in Hudson, Mass., was a recent visitor with Lulene Pillsbury at the Lewiston W. C. A.

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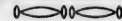
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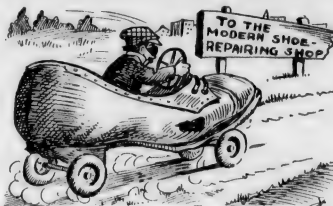
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### THURSDAY, MARCH 19

- 4.30 P.M. Spofford Club.  
8.00 P.M. Dr. Gabriel Maguire, W. C. A.  
Lecture Course, City Hall.

### FRIDAY, MARCH 20

- 4.30 P.M. Press Club.  
7.30 P.M. Literary Societies.

### MONDAY, MARCH 23

- 1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current  
Events Clubs.  
6.45 P.M. Men's Social Service Courses.  
8.15 P.M. Bowdoin-Bates Joint Concert, City  
Hall.

### TUESDAY, MARCH 24

- 6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current  
Events Clubs.  
7.30 P.M. Temperance Orations, Hathorn  
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### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25

- 8.00 P.M. Concert by Maguarre Sextet, Bos-  
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	Miss Marguerite Girouard, '16, and Mr. Hutchinson, '16
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Hymn	

## DR. GABRIEL MAGUIRE

The next lecture in the W. C. A. Lecture  
Course is given to-night at the City Hall, by  
Dr. Gabriel B. Maguire.

Dr. Maguire is famous as a traveler, mis-  
sionary, and explorer in Africa. He was the  
first man after Stanley to go up the Congo.  
He lived in the heart of Africa for nine years,  
working with the natives. His experiences  
there were nothing short of wonderful. Sev-



eral years ago he returned to this country and gave an account of his experiences before a convention in New York. Mr. Moody, then head of the Northfield schools, heard his lecture and it was thru Mr. Moody that Gabriel Maguire was led to start out on his present work as a lecturer. He now devotes all his time to lecturing all over the country. His ready Irish wit and humor, added to his wide experience and travel, make him a man whom it is really worth while to see and hear.

#### PRESS CLUB

The weekly meeting of the Press Club was held in Libbey Forum, Friday, at 4.30. A special feature of the meeting was the address of Editor Wood, of the *Lewiston Daily Sun*, who gave helpful and valuable advice to members of the Club.

Mr. Wood took as his subject, "What I Would Do if I Were Going to College." He suggested that the equipment for college should be a typewriter, certain books of reference, and a working table. Among the books of reference would be Shakespeare, the Bible with a concordance, the Statesman's Year Book, and a good atlas. A thorough understanding of the Library is an essential thing, and the great factor is in becoming acquainted with the best and greatest books. Text-books should not form an important part of the college course. The study of life and the great books should take the place of the text-books. Not only should the college student know the history of the past, but it is essential that he know his "to-day." Mr. Wood then spoke for a few minutes about the newspaper work and closed by saying that there was no greater service to mankind than to theorize correctly about society to-day.

#### SENIOR EXHIBITION

The speakers for the Senior Exhibition, Thursday evening, March 26, have been chosen. The names of the young ladies have been announced. They are Miss Edith Adams, Miss Clara Chapman, Miss Elsie Judkins, Miss Flora Lougee, Miss Marion Sanborn, and Miss Ruth Sylvester. The young men to take part, are Mr. Roy Packard, Mr. Donald Partridge, Mr. Arthur Shubert, Mr. Eugene Drake, Mr. Herbert Cooper, Mr. Kierstead.

#### INDOOR MEET

The Class of 1916 won the indoor meet, March 12, 1914, by defeating the Class of 1914 in the relay race which was the last event of the evening. Until that time the winner could not be picked. The order of the finish was: 1916—30; 1915 and 1917, tied for second—27½; 1914—25.

The results of the events were as follows:

In the 25-yard dash six trial heats and four semi-finals were required to pick the four contestants for the finals. The final heat was won by Nevers, '14; Cummings, '16, second; Kennedy, '16, third; Segal, '17, fourth. Time—3 2-5 sec.

The high hurdles was won by Tomblen, '14; Coady, '14, second; Talbot, '15, third; Segal, '17, fourth. Time—4 1-5 sec.

The shot put was won by Cobb, '17. Kerr, '17, was second; DeWeaver, '17, third, and Dyer, '14, fourth. Distance—40 feet, 3½ inches.

The high jump was won by Drake, '14, as was expected, but owing to the slippery floor he was not able to go above 5 feet 2 inches. Gibbs, '16, and Webster, '17, tied for second at 5 feet, and P. Stinson took fourth place.

In the 25-yard low hurdles it was necessary to run four heats in order to decide the winners. The final heat was won by Talbot, '15; Tomblen, '14, second; Cummings, '16, third; Stillman, '16, fourth. Time—3 4-5 sec.

There was only one heat in the potato race and Pidgeon, '15, who had been picked to win easily took first place. Marston, '16, took second place; Richardson, '15, third, and Fogg, '17, fourth.

During the intermission Drew, '16, and Lord, '16, engaged in a demonstration of blows and blocks in the boxing game, as the points were announced by Instructor Ireland. Following this exhibition there was a three-minute boxing match which was enjoyed immensely by the audience. After this event Ireland, '16, Buker, '16, Townsend, '16, Townsend, '15, Richardson, '15, Miner, '15, Gustin, '15, and Sullivan, '17, gave an exhibi-



tion of fencing. This was also under the direction of Ireland, '16, and won favorable comment.

Next in order came the relay races. For the first time in five years Bowdoin Freshmen defeated the Bates Freshmen. Bowdoin, '17, was represented by Pierce, Robinson, Humphrey and Crosby. Bates, '17, by Conners, Chamberlain, Davis and House. This was a special relay of four laps per man. All the other relays were two laps per man.

Lewiston H. S. (Hewey, Douglas, Walsh, Daley) won from E.L.H.S. (Cooper, Stinchfield, L. Watson, M. Watson). Time—1:21.

Frye Grammar School (Howard, Wiseman, Houle, Lebel) won from Webster Grammar (Watson, Johnson, Gallagher, Grover). Time—1:30.

Westbrook Seminary (Ward, Bulliver, Niles, Wyman) won from Portland H. S. (Feeney, Barton, Rowe, Owen). Time—1:21.

The Crescent Club (Madden, Lonergan, Coffey, Wood) defeated St. Dominique (Sirois, Dostie, Giguere, Janelle). Time—1:22 4-5.

Bates, '16 (Cummings, Boyd, Snow, Kennedy) defeated Bates, '17 (Conners, Davis, Segal, House). Time—1:18.

Bates, '14 (Tomblen, Parker, Coady, Nev-ers) defeated Bates, '15 (E. L. Small, Nash, Seavey, Mansfield). Time—1 min. 21 sec.

In the final relays the two losers and the two winners ran. Bates, '15, defeated Bates, '17, time, 1 min. 18 sec.; and Bates, '16, defeated Bates, '14, time, 1 min. 16 3-4 sec.

The pole vault was easily won by Drew, '16, who cleared the bar at 10 feet. Cummings, '16, took second place, Johnston, '15, and Tucker, '16, tied for third.

The three standing jumps was won by Blanchard, '15, E. L. Small, '15, second, DeWeaver, '17, third, and Webster, '17, fourth. Distance—25 feet 7 inches.

The mile run was won by Wilcox, '17. Chamberlain, '17, took second; Doe, '16, third, and Mansfield, fourth. Time—5:07.

After the last relay race L. E. Davis,

president of the Athletic Association, presented the president of the Class of 1916 with a silk banner.

#### Point Summary:

	1914	1915	1916	1917
25-Yard Dash	5	0	5	1
High Hurdles	8	2	0	1
Low Hurdles	3	5	3	0
High Jump	5	1	2½	2½
Potato Race	0	7	3	1
Shot Put	1	0	0	10
Pole Vault	0	1½	9½	0
Mile Run	0	1	2	8
3 Standing Jumps	0	8	0	3
Class Relays	3	2	5	1
Totals	25	27½	30	27½

There was no individual point winner. Tomblen, '14, Coady, '14, and Cummings, '16, each captured eight points.

#### The officials:

Starter—A. G. Ireland, Bates.

Referee—S. R. Oldham.

Timers—G. H. Ferguson, R. A. Shepard.

Clerk of Course—Harold A. Allan, Augusta.

Assistants—L. R. Sullivan, '14, J. H. Danahy, '14.

Judges of Finish—Dr. Archer Jordan, Auburn; Dr. W. W. Bolster, Lewiston; Prof. H. H. Britan, Bates.

Judges and Measurers of the Floor Events—Dr. A. Jordan, James G. Lathrop, John L. Reade, Prof. Ramsdell, Prof. Britain, W. W. Jamison, Philip S. Smith, Bowdoin.

Announcers—Leon E. Davis, '14.

Inspectors—Dr. A. Jordan, E. M. Drumm, '14, L. R. O'Connell, '14, A. C. Baird, J. J. Coady, '14, E. M. Moore, '15.

Scorers—S. J. Rawson, '14; C. S. Fuller, '15.

#### SPOFFORD CLUB

The weekly meeting of the Spofford Club was held Wednesday instead of Thursday night of last week. Mr. Hill read an ingenious poem entitled, "A Modern Canterbury Tale," and Miss McCann read a story, "Dad's Indians." An interesting address by Mr. Oldham, an honorary member of the club, completed the highly entertaining program.



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We wish to correct an error appearing in a previous number of the STUDENT. Prof. Stanton is now in his 80th year instead of his 78th, as stated.

### To the Editor of the Student:

May I call attention to one thing which I think ought to be done by our Bates Y. M. C. A. before our coming semi-centennial? During the past two or three years I have heard several suggest that on the walls of our Y. M. C. A. rooms should be the portraits of the Bates men who have gone into the foreign field. To-day the foreign work is becoming an increasingly strong and high profession for all college graduates. None are nobler than they who put their lives in, under our Mission Boards, in those other countries which are to figure greatly in the world's history before this century ends. Other colleges proudly exhibit their groups of those who have gone out.

Among the Bates people now eligible for enrollment are:

Louis Clinton, '98, Africa.

Augustine D. Ohol, 1902, India.

F. H. Knollin, 1904, India.

Elizabeth S. Perkins, 1905, China.

Harold I. Frost, 1907, and Mrs. Harold I. Frost, India.

Jerome C. Holmes, 1907, and Mrs. Jerome C. Holmes, 1910, Japan.

Ashmun C. Salley, 1906, and Mrs. Ashmun C. Salley, 1908, South America.

Wayne Jordan, '06, and Mrs. Wayne Jordan, '06, China.

R. S. M. Emrich, 1900, Turkey.

Should we not ask the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. officers to see that before Commencement the photographs of the above, with autographs and suitably marked, be placed on our walls as one of Bates' finest exhibits?

'04.

## SOCIAL SERVICE COURSES

Good interest is being shown in the five courses in Social Service. City Social Problems are being candidly discussed by Rev. Mr. Nolan, and many startling facts and figures are presented from week to week. The topics in this course are: 1. A Glance Over the Field. 2. City Congestion, Housing, and the Social Evil. 3. Industrial Problems of the City. 4. Municipal Political Problems. 5. What is to be Done?

In the course in Chinese Social Problems, Rev. Mr. Woodin is presenting the following topics: 1. Chinese Characteristics. 2. Chinese History. 3. Causes and Events Leading to the Revolution. 4. Results and Subsequent History.

Mr. Ireland's topics in the course on "Boy Leadership" are: 1. Psychology of Growth. 2. The Physical Boy. 3. The Social Boy. 4. The Spiritual Boy. 5. The Boy Leader.

## THE RURAL PROBLEM

The study of the rural problem under the instruction of Prof. A. C. Baird, in Roger Williams Chapel, is one of interest. The steps considered are thus far as follows:



- I. The gradual decrease of population in the country with the great increase of population in the United States.
- II. Unfavorable objects for increasing the population in the country.
  1. Low social ideals which extend cityward.
  2. Lack of leadership.
  3. Economic reasons.
- III. Favorable objects for increasing the population in the rural districts.
  1. Increased value of land by the building of railroads, electric lines, and good wagon roads.
  2. Increased demand for products.
- IV. The degeneracy of the country district.
  1. Content with present conditions.
- V. Problems of the rural church.
  1. It should serve the community in all its needs.

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#### Y. M. C. A.

A Northfield Rally formed the program of the Y. M. C. A. meeting, March 11, several of the men who had attended the conference speaking upon different phases of the Northfield life. Merrill, '16, presented the features of the camp, Saxton, '15, dealt with the platform meetings, and Crandlemire, '14, with those held on Round Top. The financial side was handled by Parker, '14, who was the financial agent of the delegation at the last conference. J. Moulton, '15, told of the Fourth of July celebration, and Tomblen gave the athletic side.

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#### THE OUTLAW

Know him? faith, as my own sword,  
 Brothered with him, kin to me,  
 Kin to me, but not by blood,  
 But something still akin to me.  
 Before all men and next to God  
 I hold the king. Let him who can  
 Stand forth, and swear upon his sword  
 That I am not a gentleman.  
 So then, I tell you, blade to blade,  
 That you may call him liar, when  
 He calls me traitor to have said  
 "I loved this man above all men."

Why, we were brothered, page and squire,  
 Together rode to take our pledge  
 Of knightship, armor all afire  
 With sunlight. Field, and wood, and hedge  
 Singing with spring, and youth, and life;  
 And every maid a butterfly,  
 And I loved them all with a love as rife  
 As boyhood, but he brooded "why."  
 "Why" and "whither," and "wherefore,"  
 "Why"—and I could not tell.  
 What mattered it, "if," "for," or "therefore,"  
 So that you came off well?  
 What of the peasant, the rabble,  
 How should I know or care  
 If they gave them fee and service,  
 If that their maids were fair?

We ride for the king and the country,  
 For the church and our lady we ride,  
 For honor and name  
 For truth and fame,  
 For knighthood and knighthood's pride.  
 We keep the faith and we fight to the death,  
 And never a fear have we.  
 And the truth that we hold  
 Is the fleece of gold,  
 Honor and chivalry.  
 So we rode down to the crossroads,  
 But he stopped his horse and stood  
 To see the towers standing  
 Black spears above the wood.

He wheeled his horse: "You are riding  
 For knighthood and the king,  
 But I will ride for countryside  
 For hell and all it brings."  
 Down into the plain he rode,  
 Across the field and out of sight.  
 Then serfdom won its greatest lord  
 And knighthood lost its grandest knight.  
 I have kept the faith and served the king,  
 Borne me true knight and ever shall;  
 But he has served another thing,  
 The "why" that I can never tell.  
 So could time turn or nature be  
 Another, and yet be the same,  
 I would ride from the crossroads as did he  
 With a lost man's cause for my oriflamme.



"I'LL COME WITH THE MORNING  
LIGHT"

(From the Spanish of Garaito)

"Good-night! My evening star, good night!"

A soldier—a serenade—far away.

"I go, now,—grieve not, soul of my soul,

I'll come with the morning light.

Already, the morning star is up;

Already, 'tis dawn—I must away!

Hark! In my barracks, with bugle and  
drum,

They are sounding the reveille."

Passed the hours; blackest night

Covered with mourning the field of the fight;

There, in the campfire's dying light,

A son of Spain lay dying.

Something of *her* the sentinel said

In muffled voice—on seeing him dying;

Then raised his rifle. I caught his eye,

And—I saw that he was crying.

To-day, the peasants of Spain, to-day,

Say, just as the east comes-bright,

And just as with drum and with bugle blow

Is sounded the reveille,

Even to-day, a strange, strange form

Looks up at a window; its face glows  
brightly

As it murmurs: "Grieve not, soul of my soul,

I'll come with the morning light."

L. C. WOODMAN, '14.

SOPHOMORE CLASS PARTY

At 7.30 Saturday evening the men of the Class of 1916 journeyed toward Rand Hall gymnasium for the Sophomore Class party. The gymnasium was very fittingly adorned with banners, pennants and sofa pillows. The cozy corners had received special attention.

On entering the gymnasium each gentleman was presented with a slip having the name of a state upon it. He was requested to find the capital of this state among the young ladies.

The party divided into two circles and indulged in group names for the main part of

the evening. Many interesting forfeits were paid and much individual talent was exhibited along various lines.

Partners during refreshments and for tucker were obtained by the matching together of numbered shamrocks. George A. Ross, the college caterer, served the refreshments.

Prof. Baird and Prof. and Mrs. Harms acted as chaperons and entered into the spirit of '16 very heartily. With cheers for 1916 girls and the Bates yell the party ended and the men adjourned.

Prominent among the members with their insignia were the Bachelor Club and the Old Maid Club. Several views were expressed as to the real purpose and meaning of these clubs, but no satisfactory explanation was given.

MUSICAL CLUBS

The Bowdoin-Bates Joint Concert will be given next Monday evening at the City Hall at 8 o'clock. The Bowdoin Club gave their concert in Portland last week and the press reports were very high in their praise of the concert, mentioning especially the work of the soloist and of the reader. The 1914 Bowdoin Clubs are called the finest for many years. The tickets for the concert are fifty cents, and may be obtained of any of the members of the Musical Clubs.

Ten members of the Bates Musical Clubs have been engaged to furnish the music for the spring opening at the Great Department Store, on next Wednesday, March 25. The music will be from 2 to 5 in the afternoon, and from 7 to 9 in the evening.

SOCIETIES

Eurosophia enjoyed a St. Patrick's party with appropriate games and contests. An Irish story by Seumas McManus was read by Miss Nevens, '15.

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## FINALITY

Deep night has come again: the day just past  
Is gone forever. As the dewy rose  
Did, at the dawn, her petals soft uncloze,  
Develop perfect beauty, and at last,  
On the cold earth her silken leaflets cast,  
So came the day and died. Time's sickle  
mows

The hours impartially; but still it goes  
For grief how slowly, and for joy how fast!

And as the rose was white, nor pink nor red  
In memory, but must ever white remain,  
—This withered rose, which here will bloom  
no more—

So this day's words will never be unsaid,  
This day now dead, which will not dawn  
again  
Nor changed its deeds, tho we till death im-  
plore!

ALICE E. LAWRY, '17.

## ALUMNI NOTES

Among the Bates alumni, not residents of Lewiston, who attended the annual indoor meet in City Hall, Thursday night, were Harold Allan, '06, of Augusta, Walter P. Deering, '13, of Portland, and Ray Shepard, '13, of Westbrook Seminary.

1871—John T. Abbott, a lawyer of New York, who was formerly United States Minister to Colombia, died at his home in Keene, N. H., March 8, after a long illness. Before moving to New York, Mr. Abbott practised law in Keene, taking a prominent part in New Hampshire politics. At one time, he was counsel for the Santo Domingo Development Company which did much in regulating the affairs of that island.

1880—Rev. Josiah H. Heald is Superintendent of the Congregational Home Missionary Society, and of the Congregational Educational Society of New Mexico and Arizona. His home is in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Ivory F. Frisbee, who for many years was principal of Nichols Latin School, is now a practising attorney in Boston, Mass. His offices are at 727 Tremont Street.

1881—William Thomas Perkins is located in Seattle, Washington. Mr. Perkins is a lawyer, and is also interested in banking. Since 1908, he has been president of the Northern Securities Company of Seattle. His office is in the Northern Bank and Trust Building.

Rev. Herbert E. Foss is editor of the *Southern Pines Tourist* of Southern Pines, N. C.

1885—A. B. Morrill, Supt. of Schools at Wallingford, Conn. expects to conduct a party abroad next summer, under the auspices of the Babcock Tours.

Morrill N. Drew has been appointed chairman of the State Progressive Convention to be held in Bangor.

George A. Downey is principal of Wilcox Academy, Vernal, Utah.

1887—Since 1907, Edward C. Hayes has been Professor and Head of the Department of Sociology in the University of Illinois. Mr. Hayes is very successful in this work. His address is 915 Nevada St., Urbana, Ill.

1889—On Feb. 2, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Fernald celebrated their silver wedding by entertaining more than 500 of their friends at their home in Cohasset, Mass. Dr. Fernald, Bates, '89, has been a physician in Cohasset for about twenty years. During this time he has established a large practice among people of influence and standing in Cohasset and surrounding towns. He has well proved his worth by the broad manner in which he has ministered to the needs of his community and he is held in high esteem there.

1903—Linneon R. Smith is at her home in Winchendon, Mass.

1906—Leo W. Farrar has been for some time a teacher in the Terrill School, Dallas, Texas. This is a boys' boarding school that sends students each year to Yale, Boston Institute of Technology, Michigan, Cornell, and other universities.

1907—Guy V. Aldrich is leaving the work of State Student Secretary of Iowa to become General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at the University of Iowa. He is to begin his work there the middle of August. The university has nearly 2,500 students, 1,800 of them, men. The Association was established there twenty-two years ago.

1912—A little daughter, Louise Seavy, was born to Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Blanchard, on December 2, 1913.



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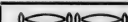
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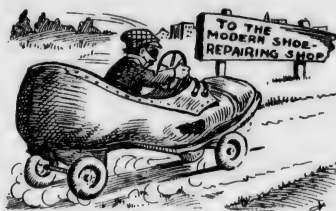
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, MARCH 26

- 4.30 P.M. Spofford Club.  
7.30 P.M. Senior Exhibition, Hathorn Hall.

### FRIDAY, MARCH 27TH

- 4.30 P.M. Press Club.

### SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH

- 4.00 P.M. Vespers in the chapel. Special music by Male Vested Choir, assisted by Mr. Clough and Mr. Hubert Davis.

### MONDAY, MARCH 30TH

- 1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current Events Clubs.  
6.45 P.M. Men's Social Service Courses.

### TUESDAY, MARCH 31ST

- 6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Clubs.

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1

- 6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.  
7.30 P.M. Politics Club.

## THE MAGUIRE LECTURE

The fourth number in the W. C. A. lecture course was given last Thursday evening in City Hall by Dr. Gabriel R. Maguire. Mr. Cushman introduced the speaker, and said that the next lecture in the course will be on April second by Montaville Flowers.

Dr. Maguire's subject was: "An Irishman in the Jungles of Africa." The address dealt with a trip up the Congo river. For this trip the traveler wears a cork helmet to protect himself from the heat, a flannel shirt, duck trousers, and canvas shoes. He carries a camping outfit, medicine chest, and revolvers. Dr. Maguire gave a demonstration of the canoe song and the method of paddling. He spoke of the animals of Africa and showed a pair of gloves made from the fur of a leopard which he shot. Then he showed the skins of

several snakes, which he also shot. The baby snake, about six feet long, is used for food, and is harmless. But the black snake, a little larger, has a fatal sting. The African cobra is the largest and worst of all. The speaker told a story of the capture of a unicorn, and spoke of the traits of this and other animals. He himself has terrible wounds received from encounters with a rhinoceros and a buffalo.

In mentioning some of the customs and habits of the natives, Dr. Maguire held up a horn and gave a long blast, saying that in this way they keep away evil spirits. He said that a canoe may be rented for a single brass tack, and that labor is so cheap that a man can be hired for all day for a tack. He presented a battle-axe which had killed thirty-seven men, and a necklace of beads and bells, which represented, for each bead, the death of a male, and, for each bell, the death of a female.

The lecturer said: "Stanley left a trail of blood and sad hearts. Livingston left a trail of blessings and glad hearts." "If you conform to the customs and habits you can go from the west coast of Africa thru to the east coast and not lose a hair of your head." He spoke of the eagerness of the natives to learn of the "Great Spirit," and told of the conversion of a witch-doctor.

Dr. Maguire has eleven schools in Africa and said in closing that he has a two-fold purpose. The first is to educate the natives, and the second is to tell the story in the North, East, South, and West.

## INTERCOLLEGIATE CIVIC LEAGUE CONVENTION

The Bates Politics Club, a member of the Intercollegiate Civic League, has elected four delegates to the Eighth Annual Convention to be held in New York and Washington on Thursday and Friday, April 2 and 3. The four delegates from Bates are G. C. Marsden, '14, President of the Bates Politics Club; R. A. Stinson, '14; E. A. Harding, '15, and J. T. Greenan, '15. These men will leave for New York on Wednesday, April 1.



The speakers at the banquet Thursday evening in New York will be Hon. H. L. Stimson, former Secretary of War; Hon. Everett Colby, of New Jersey; William F. McCombs, Chairman of the National Democratic Committee, and other men of eminence.

At the request of the committee of arrangements, the Bates Club has forwarded several Bates banners and pennants to be used in decorating for the convention. The detailed program for the delegates is as follows:

(1) Throughout Thursday, April 2, a dressing-room will be reserved at the Manhattan Hotel, 42d Street and Madison Avenue.

(2) 12:15—Luncheon in room 326 University Hall, Columbia University, 116th Street and Broadway, as guests of the Columbia Politics Club; address by President Butler; music by Glee Club.

(3) 2:00—Business meeting and conference. Earl Hall, Columbia University. Several short papers will be read describing the achievements of successful clubs. There will follow an informal discussion on two subjects: "The policy of the Democratic Party on the trust problem" (see platform of 1912, message of President Wilson on Jan. 20, and the five bills now before Congress); and "What effect would a multiple party system have upon the American plan of government?"

(4) 7:00—Dinner at the University Club, Fifth Avenue and 54th St. Speakers of national reputation.

(5) 12:30—Pennsylvania night train to Washington.

(6) Washington, dressing-room at Shoreham Hotel, H & 15th Streets. The delegates, besides attending the sessions of the House and Senate, will be received and addressed by President Wilson, officers of his cabinet, and prominent members of Congress. They will also have afternoon tea with Justice Hughes, of the Supreme Court, at his home.

Group Photographers: A group photograph will be taken outside the Columbia Library at 1.30 P.M., Thursday, by the Byron Co., 126 West 46th St., New York City; and outside the White House at 2:00 P.M., Friday, by Harris & Ewing, 1311 "F" Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

#### Y. M. C. A.

Prof. S. F. Harms spoke at the Y. M. C. A. last Wednesday upon "What a college man ought to know." He said he first should know how to work, to work intelligently and enthusiastically. College life should be merely a foretaste of life afterwards. Some men come with a full pocketbook, a bright mind, and an external polish, but if they have not application, if they have not the desire and ability to actually work, they do not last long. Other men may come, awkward, poor, of but ordinary ability, but having an earnest purpose. They have learned to work; they have fought with difficulty and conquered; they have struggled and won.

A man should further know human beings, should recognize human worth. Nothing is so important or so worth while as a human being. Any man who goes thru college without seeking to know, and understand other people will have missed the greatest thing that college can give him and he will be most seriously handicapped in his life after college.

Finally, a man should seek to know God and something of His plan for the world. His knowledge and plans will be futile unless he understands God and understands His plan. A man cannot make good without the personal help of God. There come times in every man's life when he must depend upon God, when his own will and strength prove inadequate to meet the strain.

#### SOCIETIES

Polymnia's program was:

Piano Solo	Miss Martin, '17
Reading	Mr. Bacon, '17
Mandolin Solo	Mr. Small, '14
Reading	Miss Bryant, '16
Vocal Solo	Mr. Kenniston, '16

Pieria and Eurosophia held a joint meeting.

Cornet Solo	Mr. Boisoneau, '17
Reading	Mr. Greene, '17
Reading	Miss Dunlap, '17
Piano Solo	Miss Martin, '17
Vocal Solo	Mr. Chayer, '17



## BASEBALL

Three baseball games instead of two will be played next year (1915) between the four Maine colleges, according to the decision reached by the baseball managers of the Maine Intercollegiate Athletic Association at the annual meeting and dinner held Saturday, March 21, at the Elmwood Hotel, Waterville.

Officers to serve for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, G. R. O'Connell, Bates; Vice-President, Edward Elwell, Bowdoin; Treasurer, E. L. Goodwin, U. of M.; Secretary, Frank A. Carpenter, Colby; Secretary for 1915, Harold A. Rand, Colby.

Manager O'Connell has already made out the three game schedule for 1915. This schedule which follows has not yet been approved by the Advisory Board:

Saturday, May 1, Colby at Lewiston.

Wednesday, May 5, Bowdoin at Lewiston.

Saturday, May 8, Maine at Orono.

Wednesday, May 12, Colby at Lewiston.

Saturday, May 15, Track Meet.

Wednesday, May 19, Maine at Orono.

Wednesday, May 26, Maine at Lewiston.

Saturday, May 29, Colby at Waterville.

Monday, May 31, Bowdoin at Lewiston.

Saturday, June 4, Bowdoin at Brunswick.

If the weather is favorable, Coach Purinton will notify the baseball men to report two or three days before the spring vacation ends. The first game comes Saturday, April 18, with Bowdoin.

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"A DAY IN A ROMAN SHCOOL"

A play to be given by Seniors, at 8 o'clock, Saturday evening, March 28. Admission, 10 cents. Caesar, Cicero, Cataline, and Brutus will appear, as natural as ever, and twice as youthful! In some respects, Roman boys were much like our own Yankee boys. After school is dismissed, refreshments will be served.

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ROUND TABLE

The Round Table was entertained by Prof. and Mrs. Gould and Prof. and Mrs. Hertell, Friday evening, at the home of Prof. Gould. Dr. Anthony and Dr. Salley were the speakers of the evening. Refreshments of fruit punch and cake were served.

## LOCALS

Captain Nevers wishes to announce that track work will begin this week, on the sidewalk in front of Roger Williams Hall. Work will begin on the out-door track soon after vacation.

The Y. W. C. A. meeting was omitted this week because of the concert by the Maguarre Sextet, in the chapel.

The weekly meeting of the Spofford Club took the form of a business meeting. There was no program presented.

On Friday evening the Girls' Musical Clubs gave a concert at the Free Baptist Church at Lisbon Falls. Mrs. Hartshorn and Dean Clara Buswell acted as chaperons.

The date of the Colgate-Bates Debate which was to be held April 24, has been changed to the evening of May 7. The debate with Tufts will be held on the original date, April 24, at Medford, Mass.

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BATES '17 VS. BOWDOIN '17

The Freshman Relay Team was defeated by Bowdoin's Freshman Relay Team last Friday night, March 20, at Bowdoin's Indoor Meet held at Brunswick. The first two runners held their opponents very evenly. Bowdoin's third man gained the lead and Crosby, Bowdoin's varsity relay man, finished the race about one-quarter of a lap ahead. Bates was represented by Conners, Davis, House and Chamberlain. Bowdoin, by Pierce, Robinson, Humphrey and Crosby.

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PROHIBITION SPEAKERS CHOSEN

Last Tuesday afternoon Mr. Gustin, '15, Mr. Packard, '14, Mr. Joseph Moulton, '15, Mr. Cooper, '14, delivered their orations on Prohibition in the Assembly Hall. Mr. Packard, '14, and Mr. Moulton, '15, were chosen to represent Bates at the State Contest to be held at Colby College, Waterville, April 17.

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SENIORS NOTICE

Any Senior whose full name is not printed correctly in this year's Catalogue should notify Professor Knapp before the beginning of the Easter Recess. The information is needed in order that no error in name or in spelling may appear on the diplomas.



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## JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

The last meeting before the Easter recess was held Monday evening at 7.45 in Carnegie Hall. Mr. Drake, '14, read a paper on "Sex

Determination;" Mr. Tomblen, '14, read a paper on "The Modern Wireless." Mr. Higgins, '15, gave a short description of the farm level, and its practical use.

On Saturday afternoon the members of the Society paid a visit to the city's gas plant. A complete explanation of the manufacture of gas was given by Mr. Jecusco. Thru the courtesy of the operators of the plant the party was able to inspect every part of the plant. After the Easter Recess a trip is planned to visit the electric power plant and other manufacturing plants of the city.

## THE GYMNASTIC MEET

The young women of the college are becoming very enthusiastic over the Gymnastic Meet, to be held in Rand Hall Gymnasium Friday evening. This is the first event of the kind ever given by Bates women and it is hoped that it will prove very successful. Miss Bell has been especially faithful in her part of the work.

The judges are Mrs. Ralph W. Crockett, of Lewiston; Miss Josephine M. Crowell, physical instructor at Colby; Miss Grace E. Vose of the Portland Y. W. C. A.

The order of events will be as follows:

Folk Dance	Freshmen
Day's Order	Juniors
Day's Order	Freshmen
Moonlight Caprice	Juniors
Day's Order	Sophomores
Apparatus	All Classes
Dodge Ball	Freshmen
Coppelia	Sophomores
Shepherd's Dance	Seniors
Interclass Relay	

Decision of the Judges.

The meet will begin at 7.30 sharp, and it is desired that all the classes be in their places at 7.15.



## SOUND ELEMENT IN EICHENDORFF'S TAUGESNIGHTS

In his book Eichendorff uses such words as will emphasize and bring out more strongly to the reader the idea of idleness, and purposelessness. This idea is brought out by sounds which give drowsiness and monotony. In the first line "brauste und rauschte" have a repetition which portrays to us the monotony of the wheel always turning round and round in the same way and at the same set time. The dripping of the snow gives the same thought.

Our author employs the elements of Nature to carry out his idea. The twittering of the birds, the humming of the bees, the evening bells ringing out over the garden, the distant murmuring of the Danube, the sound of many voices far-away, the echoing of the huntsmen's horn, these sounds further develop, and make clearer to the reader the happy life of the idler, the joyousness of living only for one day, with no thought for the next, and the dreamy drowsiness of out-door life, as the wanderer sees it, and feels it. The crowing of the cock, the sound of an early post-horn, the splashing of the fountain, these sounds are brought about through the medium of out-of-door life. They are instances of the use of Nature's elements, which are prominently used thruout the book.

As we continue reading, we notice that the sound-producing words are general, universal, broad, that they are abstract terms. And yet another characteristic is the melody, and harmony of the sounds; they are not harsh, clamorous, resonant, but gentle, soothing, and seem to be in accord with the spirit of the time element, and this life of comfort, which Eichendorff presents. The chirping of the crickets at even-tide, the distant peals of the church-organ, and the far-away chiming of bells are a few instances of this delightful mingling of sound with calm and quiet of country-life as it is revealed to us.

Then the repetition of certain words, or phrases should be noted. This repetition

symbolizes the spirit of the romantic period. It portrays the care-free attitude of the people, their content for the life, happy, easy, indolent, with no unnecessary struggling for new ideas, words, or customs.

And especially does the frequent use of "wieder weit," "weiter fort" implying distance, give a general ideas of drowsiness, and indefiniteness. "Brauste, rauschte, rumorte" also are favorites of our author. We notice them on the very first page in the first few lines, and they appear time and again, now as verbs, now as nouns, to indicate the subdued murmurings of Nature.

The sounds in "Taugesnichts" are produced and heard always in the open air during the quiet parts of day, in the dimness of early morning, very rarely at the quiet noon-tide hour, or most frequently in the early evening which gradually grows to night.

In Chapter IV. the sound element is subordinated to the element of mystery, which is begun. Here we get practically the same sounds. We feel the quiet solitude, and sublime stillness of the moonlit region, broken occasionally by the rustling of night-creatures, and the subdued sounds from the inn, settling for night. In direct contrast to this we have the merry, noisy din of the inn, the loud laughter, the gossiping over the cups, and the confused jangle of a foreign tongue, coming to the "Taugesnichts," who is looking at this scene from his lonely corner. It is a characteristic of the "Taugesnichts," that he sees everything, as one outside and apart from the busy life, which goes on about him.

The two following sections are pervaded by a quiet, calm, still atmosphere, symbolic of the mystery, which is developed still farther in these paragraphs. The constant rumbling of the wagon, and the incessant murmuring of unseen cascades add to the mystery, and monotony, which is broken only by the distant barks of a dog, or the shrill cries of the jack-daws. In the desolate castle, the stealthy creeping, the secret whispering, and the soft turning of the key intensify the awful quiet, and uncanniness. Again the humming and murmuring of the deserted garden outside is contrasted with the sudden shouts of gruff



voices, and then the confused turmoil, as the seekers drift farther and farther away to the other side of the mountain, leaving quiet again.

Eichendorff shows a decided preference for soft, gentle sounds of Nature. Occasionally he makes this quietness more distinct, and definite by a single quick, clear sound, like the breaking of a dry twig, or the crowing of the cock, but we never notice these sounds, as those of a group, or mass. The sound of many people, or things is softened by distance, and confusion.

Every chapter presents to us the picture of a quiet garden, as our author has described it to us in the first part. Sometimes it is a private garden, with the sweet sound of a girl's voice, mingling with quiet Nature. But in Chapter VIII. it is a public garden, where a tableau is enacted, but here also music accords with the calm and quiet; first it is the sound of women's voices, then it is the notes of a guitar. But always music, and splashing fountains, and whispering tree-tops, and quiet, and peace.

The latter part of the book brings out again to the reader the careless, objectless, idle wandering, or the spirit of the "Wanderlust." This is the main impression of the "Tangesnichts," but the wanderings are so united by a love element, as to form a narrative, rather than a descriptive writing, though description is a very important element in the book.

Again in the last chapter we have the picture of the "herrschaftchen Garten" with its whispering tree tops, the singing of the birds, the humming of the bees, and happiness everywhere. And again we hear the serenade with the din of drums, trumpets, bassoon, and shouts.

Here as in the preceding sections we note the frequent use of "rauschte." This word Eichendorff uses to tell of the murmurings of the Danube, the whispering of the tree-tops, the gliding of mysterious beings among the leaves, the quiet splashing of the fountain, the

dripping of his father's mill-wheel, and the rustle of parting bushes. The author uses this word about thirty times in these different meanings. He uses it in the first line of the book, and in the last line, making it, as it were, a means through which we are shown the mysteries of Nature, and then they are shut off from our view.

The "Taugesnichts" presents a series of Nature thru the eye, and the ear. The description carries us back to that time, and we hear the sounds of the garden, and the surrounding villages, and we get the spirit of idleness. Thruout there is wonderful harmony of conception, and expression, and we see Eichendorff's love, and quick observation for the beauties of Nature. The essence of the "Taugesnichts" has been summed up in this one phrase, "the perfect glorification of sweet idling."

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Sailing light and high.

Gray are the mountains,  
Gray as steel, the sky;  
Clouds are armies wrapped in smoke,  
Lightning, bombs that fly.

Ash and pink the mountains,  
A thousand-rainbowed sky,  
Clouds are Heaven's sleepy flowers,  
Wind, a wandering sigh.

Black are the mountains,  
Sable-hued the sky,  
Turned is the star-flecked shield of Night,  
And God's a-reigning high.

1915.

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1872—George A. Stockbridge is a practicing attorney in New York City with offices at 165 Broadway. He is attorney for the Cooper Hewett Electric Co.

1873—Almon C. Libby is located at North Yakima, Wash. Mr. Libby is a very successful civil engineer.

1878—Rev. Francis D. George is pastor of the Congregational Church at Bedford, N. H.

1881—Charles L. McCleery, who was for some time editor of the *Lowell Mail*, in

Lowell, Mass., is now situated as an optometrist and neuropath in Los Angeles, Cal.

Rev. Chas. W. Williams is pastor of the Baptist Church at Becket, Mass.

1882—Edmund R. Richards has been for some years editor and proprietor of the *Wood River Daily* and *Weekly News-Miner* at Hailey, Idaho.

1882—Since 1892, Benjamin G. Eaton has been principal of Hendricks Graded Schools, at St. Paul, Minnesota. In these twenty-two years he has done much for the improvement of the schools and has made himself much respected in his community.

1883—Fred E. Foss is professor of Civil Engineering at Cooper Union, New York City.

1884—Catherine A. (McVay) McCusker is living at Wappingers Falls, N. Y.

1888—Berlin W. Tinker is Supt. of Schools in Waterbury, Conn. His home is at 98 Randolph Ave., Waterbury.

1897—On Monday, March 16, occurred the death of Mrs. Charlotte Hanson Files at her home in East Orange, N. J. Mrs. Files had been ill only a few days. Mr. Files was a graduate of Bates in the class of 1895.

1899—The engagement of Mr. George A. Hutchins, '99, a well-known lawyer in Rumford, Maine, and Miss Louise Martin, also of Rumford, has recently been announced. It is expected that the marriage will take place some time this spring.

1904—Mrs. Alta Rankin is second assistant in the Paris High School.

1911—James Carroll is athletic director at St. John's Preparatory School, Danvers, Mass.

1912—Charles Stanhope, principal of the high school at Sangerville, Me., was in Lewiston a few days last week.

Mary Pingree Harris of Newmarket, N. H., was the guest of her aunt in Lewiston last week. Thursday afternoon, Mrs. H. H. Britan gave an informal at home in Mrs. Harris' honor.

Carl T. Rhoades is teaching in Weston, Mass.

1913—Miss Verne Blake, who is teaching in Jefferson, N. H., was a recent visitor at Bates.

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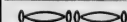
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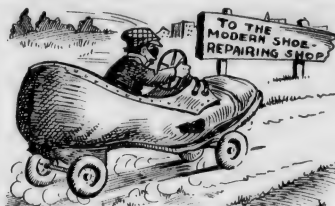
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, APRIL 2

8.00 P.M. Montaville Flowers.  
W. C. A. Lecture Course, Lewiston City Hall.

### FRIDAY, APRIL 3D

4.30 P.M. College closes for Easter Recess.

### FRIDAY, APRIL 10TH

Preliminary Debates, Bates Inter-scholastic Debating League.  
Peace Orations, State Contest at Orono.

### TUESDAY, APRIL 14TH

7.40 A.M. College Opens.

### FRIDAY, APRIL 17TH

Temperance Orations, State Contest at Waterville.

## VESPER SERVICE

Sunday afternoon, at four o'clock, vesper services were held in the chapel. Vocal and violin solos were rendered by Fred Clough and Hubert Davis, '12. The address was given by Dr. A. W. Anthony, D.D. He took for his subject the second chapter of the first epistle of James. He said: "I wish to suggest a consideration of this epistle in regard to works. Usually we approach this chapter in regard to thought. We are realizing that this universe is a universe governed by law. The only agency superior to law, only power not in subjection to law, is personality. He who works, works counter to or superior to, law. The master mechanic defies the law of gravitation until space after space is made and a bridge is complete. There is great joy of labor to him who realizes there is a Master. A man who works finds freedom. A student finds no greater servitude than the presence of a task still to be done. When it is done there is great joy and elation. Then there is a feeling of liberty. He can now mount higher, perform a greater duty. He who does his work in his place is working for all mankind. Our task

is co-operative with the whole world. He who works and works well is working for the world no matter how humble his task. He is entering the realm of God. That thought hallows industry. As we work thus it brings God into our sphere of life. With the thought of united comradeship of doing, achieving, there is united fellowship. By our actions faith will be begotten and increased. Thereby those two requisites, faith and works, which men have separated in their lives, will be blended.

The musical program follows:

Processional	Choir
Organ Prelude	
Gavotte from Handel's Overture to "Otho."	
"Vision"	Josef Rheinberger
Vocal Solo	Fred Clough
Anthem, "Radiant Moon Hath Passed Away"	Holden Male Choir
Violin Solo	Hubert Davis
Recessional Hymn	Choir
Organ Postlude, "Postludium"	

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## GIRLS' "GYM" MEET

Sophomores were the winners of the Bates College gymnastic meet in Rand Hall Gymnasium, Lewiston, Friday evening, under the direction of the physical instructor, Miss Bertha M. Bell.

Interclass Relay was won by the freshmen. Stripes were awarded to Mildred Bassett, Ruth Beane, Ruby Wheeler, Gladys Merrill, Esther Wadsworth, Marion Cole and Una Mills of the junior class; Ruth Johnson, Marion Bumpus, Alice Mower, Elizabeth Marston, Alice King, Ellen Harding, Florence Nelson, Winifred Jewell and Marjorie Stephens of the Sophomore class; Elinor Newman, Aileen Lougee, Elinor Leach, Ruth Sturgis, Elinor Richard, Evelyn Manchester and Ruth Campbell of the Freshman class. Special mention was made of the æsthetic work of Edith George, Helen Humiston, Geneva Sturtevant and Helena Blethen of the Senior class.



## THE QUEST OF THE ROUND TABLE

In the cosy breakfast room of the Dixons Fifth Avenue mansion, Anna Dixon was reading for perhaps the hundredth time that troublesome clause in her Uncle Jacob's will: "To my niece, Anna Dixon, I bequeath my most cherished heirloom, the mahogany round table, now in the hands of—" Here the reading ceased, for the writing of the manuscript was so blurred as to be illegible.

Since the death of her uncle, nearly six months before, Anna Dixon had devoted her whole time to the recovery of the treasured round table, which was hers by the terms of the will. The only copy of the document which had been found was in her possession, but the blotted line had prevented her from being able to ascertain the present possessor of the cherished heirloom. It was known that Jacob Ryder had owned a duplicate copy of the will, but in spite of all the efforts of Anna and her lawyer, not a trace of the missing manuscript could be found.

Jacob Ryder had lived a solitary life, on his little farm, since the terrible accident which had taken away his wife and four children at one blow, leaving the father childless and alone, a broken, hopeless, old man. He had refused all offers of assistance in his housekeeping, and had lived alone, doing his own work. He had disposed of a great many articles of furniture which might remind him of his loss, and, in this way the round table had disappeared, and had never been heard of again until the reading of the will.

Anna was not the only claimant for the old heirloom. Her favorite cousin, Vernon Ryder, was the oldest descendant in direct line from that illustrious ancestor who had made the mahogany table. For this reason, Vernon asserted his claim to the table, and stood ready to contest the will if the lost article was ever brought to light. Anna had stoutly defended her right to the treasure, and the cousins had quarreled so seriously that it seemed as if they could never be friends again. As a matter of fact, neither of the

claimants had ever seen or heard of the round table until the reading of the will had hinted at its value. They had gleaned all possible information from various sources, but, even then, their ideas of the coveted article were rather vague.

Anna tried in vain to decipher the blurred sentence, then throwing down the manuscript, with a sigh of regret, picked up the morning paper. She glanced hastily over the columns until she caught a glimpse of an item which rather interested her, since it was about an occurrence in her Uncle Jacob's home village. Suddenly she sat bolt upright, and stared at the paper in wide-eyed astonishment.

"Listen to this!" she cried to her husband. "I do believe we shall find the round table, after all."

"The high wind of Wednesday did considerable damage in the village. A curious circumstance was the falling of the gilded dome of the Baptist Church spire, an ornament placed in position by the late Jacob Ryder, about ten years ago. The metal was badly crushed and a hollow interior was revealed, which contained several papers. Among these was a record of the building of the church, a daily paper, an advertisement of the firm that manufactured the tiny dome, also a copy of Mr. Ryder's will, evidently placed there unintentionally, since it is known that Mr. Ryder had his will drawn up the same day that he placed the dome in position."

Anna could scarcely believe in her good fortune, and it was only when she held the faded document in her hand that she felt really assured of her certain recovery of the round table. The second copy of the will was not defaced and in clear, unmistakable letters was the name and address of the person who was in possession of the table. Anna lost no time in communicating with the person named, and was distressed to discover new complications. The present possessor of the table insisted that he had paid for the table and that he was very unwilling to part with it. Anna was willing to pay any price to regain the treasure, and after she had named a large sum, the table was given up to its rightful



owner. Even then there was to be a long delay before it could be shipped to its destination.

One afternoon, while Anna was visiting an intimate friend, she received a message from her husband saying that the table had come, and had been placed in the breakfast room. She hastened home and followed her husband into the room where the treasure had been placed. Immediately her enthusiasm began to wane. She saw before her a curious object. The historic round table was certainly unique. It had evidently been constructed for the convenience of a large family. It filled the small room to the very corners. The entire center was raised and fastened on a pivot, leaving a narrow outer rim for the family plates. At a turn of the hand, the center revolved on its pivot with a dismal groan. Although the wood was undoubtedly mahogany, it had lost its identity under a hideous coat of brick red paint, discolored and worn by long years of service.

Anna looked at her husband in despair, she thought of the fashionable visitors she had hoped to serve at the ancestral table; she remembered her quarrel with her cousin, and wished that she had never heard of this great, ungainly article, which had caused so much trouble.

"Do you suppose Vernon still wants it?" she said to her husband almost tearfully.

"No, he doesn't," answered her husband. "I called him up on the 'phone, and he has just been over to see it. He says you are welcome to it. Why, what are you going to do now?" he added, as Anna made a wild rush for the telephone.

"I am going to express it back to that farmer-man who has had it so long," she answered shortly.

"But I am afraid he will not think it his duty to refund the money," objected her husband.

"Who said I wanted the old money," retorted Anna savagely, as she jerked the receiver from its hook.

MARION R. COLE, '15.

### THE MAQUARRE SEXTET

A large and appreciative audience greeted the Maquarre Sextet of the Boston Symphony Orchestra on their appearance at the Bates College Chapel a week ago last Wednesday evening. The committee of the faculty on music was much pleased with the support given them by the city and college people in their endeavor to have the best musical talent obtainable come to this city. The program for concert was as follows, with encores by the soloists:

- I. Haydn. Symphony in B<sup>b</sup> No. 12.
  - I. Largo, Allegro II. Adagio. III. Menuetto
  - IV. Finale Presto
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- IV. Sarasate. Violin Solo. Spanish Dance No. 8
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- V. Heinrich Hofmann, Sextet Op. 65 for Flute and Strings
  - Allegro
  - Andante
  - Allegro Vivace
  - In Hungarian Style

### IVY DAY SPEAKERS

The Junior Class has elected the following speakers for Ivy Day:

Orator	Mr. Gustin
Toastmaster	Mr. Saxton
"Our Boys"	Miss Durgin
Faculty	Miss Wood
"Co-Eds"	Mr. Mullen
Athletics	Mr. Wight
Social Life	Miss Wadsworth
Prophecy	Miss Walsh
Class Ode	Mr. Stephanis
Class Poem	Miss Bryant
Ivy Ode	Miss Cole
Marshal	Mr. Gerry

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The next number of the STUDENT will  
be published Thursday, April 23.

The last meal to be served at the Commons  
will be breakfast on Saturday morning, April  
4. The first meal after the recess will be  
breakfast, April 13.

The Bates Interscholastic Debating League,  
recently organized, will hold their first prelim-  
inary debates on Friday, April 10. The  
formation of this league is certainly one of  
importance in advancing the interests of de-  
bating here at Bates.

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## DEBATING

Thru an error, the date of the Colgate-  
Bates Debate was given in the last STUDENT  
as May 7. The correct date is Friday, May 1.  
Will any papers that copied the original notice  
please make the correction.

On account of the resignation of Mr. Ken-  
nedy from the 'varsity debating team which  
meets Tufts, Mr. P. H. Dow, '14, has been  
chosen a member of the team and Mr. Arthur  
Schubert, '14, an alternate.

Two more preparatory schools have joined  
the Bates Interscholastic Debating League,  
making the number of schools in the league  
eight. The new members are Leavitt Insti-  
tute and Kents Hill. These two schools will  
debate each other in the first preliminaries.  
The other six schools have already been paired  
for the first debate. The first preliminary de-  
bate will be held Friday, April 10.

## MONTAVILLE FLOWERS

Montaville Flowers will give "Ben Hur"  
this evening in the Lewiston City Hall under  
the direction of the Women's Christian Asso-  
ciation. It has been said of the lecturer:  
"Mr. Flowers tells the story in character as it  
proceeds. An artist, who recently sketched  
Mr. Flowers in a dozen of his most remarka-  
ble roles, said of him, "I have never before  
sketched a face capable of so many varied ex-  
pressions." Mr. Flowers does not approach  
the character he is to delineate by mere at-  
tempts at outward likeness. He studies the  
philosophy of life of the man whom he wishes  
to depict, and his whole manner of thinking,  
no less than of speech, adapts itself to the new  
individual. The impersonator is a man of un-  
usual culture. He was impelled to this work  
by his gifts as shown in reading Shakespeare  
and other dramatic selections before his classes  
in college. His friends who heard him urged  
him to enter the field as a delineator of charac-  
ter before public audiences, and the success  
which has attended him since seems to indi-  
cate that he was born for this form of  
dramatic art. He is highly commended by  
Elbert Hubbard, John Temple Graves, Leland  
T. Powers, Charles F. Underhill, Bishop Mc-  
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tions. General Lew Wallace, the author of 'Ben Hur,' gave his entire approval to Mr. Flowers' presentation and said: 'His work is by far the best I have ever heard. It is the revival of the ancient eastern custom of story telling. It is a recreation of a lost art.'

### PRIZE ESSAY CONTEST

The Department of Scientific Temperance Instruction in Schools and Colleges of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union in an effort to encourage study and thought along temperance lines has instituted a prize essay contest. A local contest is to take place in the college and a local prize is offered. The prize essay of each college will be entered in the state contest. The state prize essay will be forwarded to the National Superintendent of Scientific Temperance Instruction.

The general subject is, "The Relation of Individual Total Abstinence to the Prosperity of the Nation." Special themes are also offered among which are: "The Permanency of National Life as Affected by Intoxicants," "The Principle of Prohibition," "The Public Schools and Scientific Temperance Instruction," and "A Discussion of the Difference in Effect in Alcohol and Nicotine." The essays will be graded on clearness of thought, accuracy of statement, and originality of presentation.

The prize, which is known as the Susan J. Steele Prize, is one hundred dollars in gold.

### SENIOR EXHIBITION

The Senior exhibition was held last Thursday, March 26, in the evening at Assembly Hall. A good sized audience of students and citizens was in attendance and showed their appreciation very heartily. President Chase presided and the College orchestra provided the music. The judges were Rev. H. P. Woodin of Auburn, Rev. J. H. Nolan and Miss Sara Morgan of Lewiston. The prize of thirty dollars was awarded to J. Roy Packard. Miss F. Marion Lougee received honorable mention by the judges. The program was as follows:

#### MUSIC

Prayer

Dr. Salley

1. "The Minimum Wage" Eugene H. Drake
2. "S. O. S." Marion Rae Sanborn

3. "The Economics of Prohibition" Herbert A. Cooper
4. "The Place of Fairy Tales in the World's Literature" Ruth B. Sylvester
- MUSIC
5. "The Perils of Democracy" Donald Barrows Partridge
6. "Luxury and Liberty" Clara Augusta Chapman
7. "Trade Schools" Fred H. Kierstead
8. "A Thread of Evolution" F. Marion Lougee
- MUSIC
9. "The Trial of the Liquor Interest" J. Roy Packard
10. "The Future of Rural Communities" Elsie Elizabeth Judkins
11. "War and Peace" Arthur Schubert
12. "The Humanism of Luther" Edith A. Adams

#### MUSIC

#### DECISION OF JUDGES

### LOCALS

Miss Amy M. Homans, head of the Hygiene Department, Wellesley College, has been spending a few days at Bates. Friday evening she attended the Girls' Gymnastic Meet. Sunday afternoon coffee was served at Rand Hall in her honor. Monday morning the women had the pleasure of hearing Miss Homans read a paper which she presented at the International Congress of Hygiene last summer.

Miss Viola Nevens entertained the Junior resident girls at an Easter party, Thursday evening, March 26. The evening was spent in games and contests, Maude Howard and Sarah Rosenbloom, carrying off the prizes. The guests were then invited to the dining-room for buffet refreshments. The table was prettily decorated with Easter emblems, and the guests enjoyed the dainty refreshments of fruit cocktail, crackers, hot chocolate, chicken salad, sandwiches, olives, cake, candy, and nuts. Those present were Helen Hertell, Maude Howard, Elizabeth Wood, Ida Currie, Sarah Rosenbloom, Annie Stuart, Adrienne Belleau, Cecilia Walsh, Ruby Wheeler, and Pearl Wheeler.



## THE LOVE OF LISA

"They tell me I am mad, señor. But it is a lie. They will not believe the truth, those pigs of keepers."

"What is the truth, Miguel?"

"Thou wilt tell it to some skilled advocate among thy people, that I may be soon freed from this accursed hole of fiends?"

"Well, I have a friend in England who is a well-known lawyer. I'll tell him all about it when I know the reason why you're here."

"For Lisa, señor, for Lisa. Mother of God, how beautiful she was! She knew that I adored her. A thousand times I had told her so and implored her to give me her favor. She would look down at me from her grated balcony, without a word. I was in despair. Once she dropped a jasmine flower, from her hair, at my unworthy feet. Then I was raised on a mountain of hope, but there was nothing more. Señor, I loved her, and I was like to go mad with desire and jealousy."

"And so they put you here?"

"I did not go mad. Did I not tell thee that in the beginning?"

"Yes, yes. But why were you jealous? Did some other fellow get the better of you?"

"Ha! Ha! Get the better of Miguel Guerrero? Never, señor! That scoundrel, the son of a scoundrel and descendant of dogs, Pascuales—didst thou know him? He was the keeper of the gate until he died, five years ago, they tell me. Thou hast seen him?"

"No, Miguel. I haven't been here but a year and a half, so I never saw your friend, Pasc—"

"My friend? My enemy, señor! It is thru him that I have been here these twenty years, thru him that I am scourged, thru him that my hairs are white, thru him that Lisa—curses on his black soul! May it never know peace! Listen, señor."

"That man—I spit upon his name—that man told Lisa's father cruel lies about me. He thought to get her for himself, the thief! The father believed. He forbade her seeing

me again and ordered me away. But Lisa made no promises. She only smiled, while I despaired and wandered homeward, hating myself and all Valencia, excepting Lisa, and Pascuales most of all.

"It was a cold night, and stormy, too. I remember that well, for I had made a fire in the brazier and closed the shutters to keep out the rain. Thinking of my love and disappointment and revenge, I held my fingers over the glowing coals. I swore by the Virgin that the dog should die rather than marry Lisa while I was alive. Ha! Ha! He never got his wish. His lies were repaid in full!"

"Come, come, Miguel, that's no place to stop! What happened next? Did you kill the wretch? Did you marry your Lisa? Go on!"

"Alas, how your blue eyes turn black when you are impatient! Do not hurry me, señor. I can tell no more to-day. I am an old man. I am tired. I have no cigarettos here to refresh me. To-morrow, my friend. Come then, and I will tell you more."

"Will a cigarette persuade you?"

"A thousand thanks, yes! This other one will comfort me to-morrow and remind me of my friend when he is gone. Thou art always thoughtful, señor. I will go on for you."

"I heard a closing of the shutter and Lisa glided in. How she had evaded the spying of her father and the traitor, I do not know. I did not care. It was enough that she was with me. I knew that she must love me, for she had come to me. She laid off her wet cloak and mantilla, and stood beside me, silent. I put out my hand but she avoided it and moved lithely to the brazier. Mother of Love, the grace of her! Slender and beautiful she knelt before the blaze, too shy at her first confession of love to lift her eyes to mine or say a word. Even now, señor, after twenty years of hell, I see how the yellow light gleamed on her ebony hair, a thick rope of twisted blackness. I called her name. Half eager, half afraid, she turned to me, and I saw her eyes. In their dark depths was no jesting, no coquetry, no feigned indifference; only the revelation of her new-found love. It was for me alone, that look, and I was jealous of it. No other must see it. It was mine, all mine!"



She leaned my head on her smooth, white shoulder and let down the glorious splendor of her hair. Sweet and warm as the summer honeysuckle its fragrance surrounded me. How could I keep forever the supreme joy of that moment? How could I keep her mine alone? I thought: At last I found a way. Twisting her hair into a rope again, I wound it around her slender throat and strangled her.

"Why dost thou start back señor? I am as sane as thou. My pulse beats calmly as thine own.

"Was it not a beautiful thing to do? She loved me and she gave herself to me. I'm sure she knew no pain for when I cautiously unwound the coil she was still smiling. Her head was on my shoulder now, and thus we sat thru all the night. She was glad that her wish was true. She was all mine.

"They brought me here. But I am not mad. They do not understand real love—the swine! But thou art different, tho somewhat cold and passionless. Wouldst thou see her smile, just as I painted it from memory? Behold!"

"Mona Lisa!"

"In truth, señor, my Lisa."

—1916.

#### SUMMER SONG

Seest thou not, my little one,  
The tips of the stately trees,  
Lighted with flecks of summer gleam,  
Peopled by fairies in dainty sheen,  
Sway to unheard harmonies?

The Sun God has sent his legions down  
In armor of polished gold.  
Straight to the tops of the mighty trees,  
Lulled and rocked by the summer breeze,  
Many a century old.

But do all the sun-fairies stay at the top?  
Oh, no, my little one.  
Some go to the heart of the rocking tree.  
Skipping and flitting with noiseless glee,  
To stay till the day is done.

And when God says their work is o'er,  
To the lap of the Sun they fly;  
Leaving their imprint with hand unseen,  
Tinting the leaves with fadeless green,  
God's colors that never die.

1915.

#### ALUMNI NOTES

1874—Rev. Charles S. Frost is now located at 45 Rolfe Street, Providence R. I.

1880—Francis Little Hayes is pastor of the California Avenue Congregational Church of Chicago, Ill.

Charles Hill Deshon has been principal of Rother Avenue School, No. 58, Buffalo, N. Y., since 1897. His home is at 449 Ashland Avenue, Buffalo.

1885—Frank Sumner Forbes is Judge of Justice Court, Los Angeles, California. His address is 5274 Aldama Street, Los Angeles, Cal.

1888—The fine high school building at Plymouth, N. H., Charles L. Wallace, principal, was recently destroyed by fire.

1890—Miss Jennie L. Pratt of Auburn, has recently lost her father.

Herbert V. Neal is Professor of Biology in Tufts College.

1890—Rev. Herbert J. Piper, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church of Providence, R. I., recently met with a bereavement in the loss of a four months' old son.

1896—The engagement of Dr. O. E. Hanscom, 1896, a physician in Greene, Me., and Miss Sadie Costello of Lewiston, has recently been announced.

1897—Mr. and Mrs. Frank I. Farrell (Miss Mary Buzzell, Bates '97) have moved from Boston to Newton, N. J., where Mr. Farrell is in business.

1900—Guy E. Healey, Esq., is a member of the School Board of Somerville, Mass.

1906—Vina Young (Mrs. C. A. Wheeler) lives at 286 Lloyd Ave., Providence, Rhode Island. Her husband is instructor in the Moses Brown School.

1910—Horatio N. Dorman is doing excellent work as Director of Physical Culture and Gymnasium Instructor at the Moses Brown School, Providence, R. I.. At the annual indoor athletic exhibition the work was of an unexcelled quality, declared by some present to be equal to that of Brown University. Mr. Dorman is building an excellent name for himself.

1912—Miss Hazel Howard is spending her spring recess at her mother's home in Lewiston.

1913—Franklin H. Manter is a teacher in the Burr and Burton Seminary at Manchester, Vermont.

Miss Margaret Dickson, who is teaching in Concord, N. H., was in Lewiston last week.



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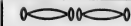
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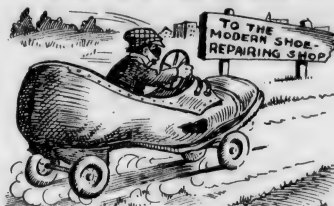
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, APRIL 23

7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.

### FRIDAY, APRIL 24

4.30 P.M. Press Club

7.30 P.M. Union Society Meeting; Rand Hall

'Varsity Debate, Bates vs. Tufts at Medford

### SATURDAY, APRIL 25

Bates vs. Portland N. E. League at Portland

Bates 2d vs. Bowdoin 2d at Lewiston

### MONDAY, APRIL 26

1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club

4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band

6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current Events Clubs

Bates vs. Boston College at Boston

### TUESDAY, APRIL 28

Bates vs. Harvard at Cambridge

6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Clubs

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29

Bates vs. Holy Cross at Worcester

Bates 2d vs. Hebron Academy at Hebron

6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.

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## DAD'S INDIANS

In the midst of the forest stood fifteen pine trees, and though surrounded by countless other trees they yet seemed apart. Straight and tall they stood with their dark tops ever pointing to the sky. For years they had resisted every shock of wind and tempest, and lost no limb to mar their perfect symmetry of form. Many of their neighbors had been maimed or felled by storms, but they alone remained unharmed.

They knew that there was nothing to fear from the forces of nature, but of late some of those strange creatures called men had visited the heart of the forest. They had looked with admiration and desire upon the pine trees' splendid growth, and the trees were pleased and proud. But one day after the first great snow storm of the year when the dark pine boughs were weighted with soft piles of feathery whiteness, the solitude of the forest was again broken by shouts of men. The trees noticed that each man carried a stout stick, with something bright and dazzling at its end, and so watched in wonder. In the days that followed, scenes of terrible carnage met their sight. They saw their neighbors fallen in their pride, torn limb from limb by the ruthless steel, and the massivet runks left in piles, bereft of all their beauty and strength. Then for the first time, the pine trees were filled with fear. They had always taken a wild delight in battling with snow and wind. Their strength and cunning had always given them the mastery in these contests. Many a time they had allowed the snow to pile itself in their branches till it felt secure of victory, and then with a sudden and graceful movement they would let it fall to lie, a lifeless heap at their feet while they tossed their arms and laughed in glee. Many a time they had checked the swift and mighty passage of the north wind till he, straining their strength to its utmost, gave vent to wild shouts of triumph and then with a swift bending of their branches they had sent him stumbling, baffled through the forest while their songs of victory rose above his ragings of defeat. No! they did not fear wind or tempest, but this strange being, man, with his magical instruments; what might there not be to fear from him?

Every night before the woodsmen left the forest, they looked with admiration and desire upon the little group of pines which seemed so strangely apart from the others. They would



come and put their hands with no touch of caress, upon the splendid trunks, and look upward to their tops; but mingled with the admiration, there was a cold, calculating gleam in their eyes. And the pine trees knew, from the talk of recent days, that to the woodsmen, their perfect beauty, their matchless symmetry meant nothing but the value of their mutilated forms. They tried to tell these strange men that they were living beings, that life was sweet to them. They extended their arms in supplication, they sang their grandest melodies, their most mournful appeals; but all in vain. There was no one who understood. And so the pine trees who had hitherto known only the joy of life began to taste its deepest sorrow. Each day in agony they watched the progress of mutilation and death. Each night they mourned together and sang sorrowful dirges; growing sadder every day with the advance of the woodsman's axe. But hope dies hard, and gradually arose in their hearts the hope that someone who understood would come in time to save them. And so every morning they scanned the groups of workmen, looking eagerly for some new face, the face of a man who should understand. But as morning after morning passed, this hope grew faint and perished. The work of destruction was coming nearer; and now, when all hope had disappeared, there came one morning the sound of bells, and many new faces. Eagerly they scanned each face to find him who should deliver them. There was one man whom all the others seemed to respect. The pine trees were quick to notice this, but he did not turn in their direction. If only—if only he would understand.

And then a mighty determination arose in the heart of each. They would make him understand. And so they sent reverberating thru the forest a strange and solemn chant, mighty in its appeal. As they had learned to expect, none of the woodsmen heeded. But as the appeal grew louder it became a call centered on the man whose face they had not seen. At last he turned and looked straight at their massive forms. A look of pleasure, of admiration came into his face and because of it,

the look of one who understands, dared they to hope? Beseechingly they held out their hands to him until he turned away, but somehow hope had been born again in the pine trees. They watched him closely all day; and finally discovered that in one thing they were right, he was not like the others. Every time one of the big, logging teams seemed loaded too heavily he lightened it; and once, which was the most encouraging sign of all, when one of the sled-runners dropped beneath the surface where the snow was piled loosely underneath, when the driver was shouting and cursing at the horses who could not move the sled, then the strange man motioning the driver aside had put his hand on the horses' necks, had spoken softly to them. At his encouraging word, the horses had stretched their shoulders to the collar, the sled had creaked with the strain, and slowly, surely had been drawn to a safer level. And then the pine trees had introduced a little song of hope and the man had turned toward them again. Surely one who understood dumb animals so well would not be deaf to their call.

That night when the workmen were leaving the woods, the man, in whom lay the last hope of safety for the pines, came to them and he, too, put his hands upon their mighty forms, but in them was the touch of caress. He, too, measured their height and perfect straightness with his eyes, and in them was the look of one who understands. And so the pine trees' song of hope grew stronger, and all wild things rejoiced. A saucy chipmunk who had laid away his winter stores in the tallest of the pines, came out, chattering in glee, and then scolded at the intruder until he laughed. And then the pine trees knew that in him they had found the right man.

In a few weeks the work of destruction ceased, the logs were hauled away and each day the man came and listened to the language of the pines. But now each night in council, the trees talked of how they could repay the man who understood. There was one tree in the center of the group a little taller than the others, and they all put their plans before him; but with none was he satisfied. Each



day that the man came, they told him strange, unprinted tales of forest life, of the bird and squirrel that dwelt in their branches, and of strange, wild deeds of Indians that roamed there long ago. They did not know that each night around a glowing hearth, lighted by pitchy knots from their own forest, a group of happy children listened while the man told the strange and beautiful tales the trees had taught him. They did not know that, to the children he called the pines his fifteen Indians; that their solemn councils by night he understood, if not their meaning; that he saw their recognition of the tallest tree in the center; that to the children it was known as Dad's Indian chief. Each time a tree told an especially beautiful tale he would look at the chief and question if that paid their debt of gratitude, and each time the giant pine would shake his head and answer "Not yet." And thus the trees vied with each other in tales and songs, or each was anxious to help the man who understood.

One day, the day the last of the logs were to be taken from their forest home the jingle of bells brought with it the sound of the children's voices. The man had brought them to see "his Indians." He took them to the group of pines and told the story of how he had saved them. The children listened eagerly; and the tall pines knew that they, too, would understand. And so they, too, did their best to tell them stories and tossed the loose snow from their hands into the upturned faces of the children. They coaxed forth the rabbit that dwelt at their feet and the chipmunk from his retreat above. But these, not understanding, disappeared at the first exultant shout of the children; and the pine trees with all their coaxing could not call them out again. So they told more tales and gave of their cones freely, so that when the children left, they, too, had loved "Dad's Indians." Then the pines all bowed to their chief and asked if this were payment, but again he answered "No."

And so time passed; winter fled and spring returned. And the man still came to the pines

for the companionship which they always gave. They still sang their sweetest songs fraught with the hope and gladness of the spring. And of these he never tired. But still the debt remained unpaid. And so the summer passed, and they and the man were still firm friends. But one day when he came into their midst, he did not greet them with his usual smile, his eyes were fixed upon the ground. They knew he was in some great sorrow and mourned in sympathy. He placed his hand on the giant chief, but there was no caress in his touch. Then he sat down at its foot and buried his face in his hands. The pines remembered their own trouble and stood with heads bowed in sympathy.

Then the tall pine in the center raised his head and sent a message of determination to his dark companions. "Now is the time to help him," he said in challenge to the bowed heads. Then the pines straightened. From the bitterness of their own experience they sent forth a wail of sorrow at first hopeless in its intensity, then the faint glimmer of hope, as it had come to them, sounded thru the forest and the man started. Thru all its changes, its fading and its glow, they sang till faith was born again. All other forest sounds were hushed to listen. The chipmunk came forth from his retreat, but he did not scold. He looked at the figure at the foot of the tree and listened to the music of the pines. The notes were filled with inspiration and courage. The melody aroused the man from his despondence. He looked up at the boughs swaying in the wind, and still the song went on. The last crows slowly flapping homeward hushed their harsh calls and listened, and as the message of courage became a call to victory, the man arose. Again he had heard and understood the message of the pines. "The world is still beautiful and good," he said. "What matters one defeat?"

Then the pine trees sang for joy. The children coming to seek the man became quiet and listened. "Dad's Indians are talking. He will tell us what they say to-night." And as the man who understood arose and followed them with the light of a new courage on his face, the tall chief bowed his head in assent to the mute questioning of his dark brothers, and together, with grateful voices, they murmured "At last."

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## INTERCOLLEGIATE TEMPERANCE PRIZE SPEAKING CONTEST

Last Friday night the state contest in the Temperance Orations was held at Waterville. The contestants from Bates won two of the prizes; J. Roy Packard, '14, third prize of \$15, and Joseph L. Moulton, '15, fourth prize of \$10. First prize of \$50 was won by H. H. Upton of Colby, and second prize of \$25 by C. B. Flanders, also of Colby. The prizes were offered by Hon. Horace Purinton of Waterville. Governor William T. Haines was the presiding officer.

## INTERCOLLEGIATE PEACE ORATIONS

J. Roy Packard, '14, won the first place in the State Peace Orations held Friday, April 10, at Orono. By winning first place Mr Packard has qualified to represent this

state in the contest for the Eastern States to be held next month in New York. The second place in the state contest was won by Henry E. Rollins of the University of Maine.

## SPOFFORD CLUB

Four new members have recently been admitted to the Spofford Club: Hazel Mitchell of Auburn; Frank Kennedy of Walpole, Mass.; Harriet Johnson, of Bath; and Marion Cole of Crystal, N. H. At the regular meeting, Thursday evening, the new members were received, and a short program presented, consisting of a poem, "Spring," by Mr. Stephanis, '15, and a translation of a Spanish poem by Mr. Woodman, '14; also a poem by Mr. Hill, '14. Refreshments were served during the evening.

## BATES 2D 15, LEAVITT INSTITUTE 6

While the 'varsity team was shutting out Bowdoin at Brunswick, Saturday, the second team was soundly beating Leavitt Institute at Turner. Bates was represented by: Segal, c.; McCormack and Riley, p.; Witham, 1st; Mills, 2d; Phelan, 3d; Boineau, ss.; Green, lf., Rawson, c.f., and Davis, r.f.

## BATES 14, LEWISTON "CUPIDS" 2

Bates defeated the Lewiston New England League team, Monday, April 20th, at the A. A. Park, Auburn, by the score of 14 to 2. The game was called in the middle of the fourth inning on account of rain. The feature of the game was the batting of the Bates team. Moore did excellent work in the box.

					R	BH	E
Bates	0	4	7	3	14	8	0
Lewiston	2	0	0		2	3	3

Bateries—Bates, Moore and Talbot; Lewiston, McKenzie, Driscoll and Cannon, Mel-lory.

Three-base hits—Talbot, Butler.

Two-base hits—Fuller, Prenix.



# INTRA-COLLEGIATE BASEBALL LEAGUE

It has been planned to organize the Intra-Collegiate Baseball League again this spring, and it is desirable to begin play in the very near future. All men who are not candidates for the 'varsity or second teams are eligible for this league, and everyone desiring to become a member is requested to place his name and choice for captain in the English theme box at the library by Friday night, April 24, at the latest. Only seniors, juniors, and sophomores are eligible for the position of captain. Drawings for teams will be made Saturday. Everybody interested is urged to join the league and help make it a success.

## BATES 4, BOWDOIN 0

Bates opened her baseball season Saturday, April 18th, at Brunswick by defeating Bowdoin in an exhibition game 4 to 0. Despite the fact that this is the first time the Bates team has played together on a regular diamond, not an error was registered against the players, and they got eight hits from Rawson and Knight.

Lindquist pitched six innings, and while he was in the box not a Bowdoin man reached first base. Stinson pitched the last three innings and allowed only one hit, and one base on balls.

Bates started scoring in the fifth inning. Stinson singled but was forced out at second on Lindquist's grounder. McDonald singled, and, with two men on bases, Captain Coady hit a two-bagger into center field, which brought in the two runs. Another run was added in the seventh. The fourth score came in the ninth inning when Stinson got a two-base hit, followed by a single by Winslow.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
McDonald, ss.	4	2	2	2	3	0
Coady, 3b.	5	0	1	2	2	0
Fuller, 2b.	4	0	1	1	4	0
Talbot c.	3	0	0	4	0	0
Cobb, 1b.	4	0	1	14	0	0

Butler, cf.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Drake, lf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Stinson, rf., p.	3	1	2	0	1	0
Winslow, rf.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	4	8	27	12	0

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Stetson, lf.	3	0	0	3	0	1
Weatherill, 2b.	4	0	0	3	1	0
McElwee, 3b.	2	0	0	4	3	1
Tuttle, rf.	3	0	0	1	0	1
Eaton, 1b.	3	0	0	5	0	1
Goodsky, lf.	3	0	1	3	0	0
Chapman, ss.	3	0	0	2	2	2
LaCasce, c.	3	0	0	6	4	0
Rawson, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Knight, p.	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	27	0	1	27	11	6

Two-base hits—Coady, Stinson, Goodsky, Stolen bases—Fuller, Talbot. Struck out—by Rawson 2, by Knight 3, Lindquist 2, Stinson 1. First base on balls—off Rawson 3, Knight 1, Stinson 1. Left on bases—Bowdoin 2, Bates 7. Umpire—Daley.

## INTER-CLASS TRACK MEET

The Inter-Class Track Meet will be held on Thursday and Friday afternoon, April 30th and May 1st, at 4 P.M. Owing to the keen rivalry of the Indoor Meet each class will enter every available man in the hope of winning the meet.

On May 9th the team will go to Orono to compete with U. of M. Many of the men have been training all winter with the purpose of making good in this meet.

On May 16th the state meet will be held in Lewiston. The Bates weight men are doing well, and the general distribution of stars among the four colleges will make it anybody's meet up to the last moment. Students having friends residing out of town who will want accommodations ought to warn them that reservations should be made early, for there will be an unusually large crowd at the meet this year. Several special trains will be run from Boston to accommodate the alumni, and seats for the games will be in great demand.



## MONTAVILLE FLOWERS

The final lecture in the W. C. A. course was given in CityHall by Montaville Flowers, who presented Ben Hur.

The speaker divided the readings into four acts. The first opened with the conversation between Ben Hur, the Prince of Jerusalem, and Messala. The proud Jew and the mocking Roman part with bitter feelings of hatred and Ben Hur goes to his home. The scene on the house-top is well known. The boy, Ben Hur, accidentally pushes a tile down upon the head of the Roman governor and is sent to the galleys for life. After being a slave at the oars for three years he meets Arrias, a Roman, by whom he is adopted.

In the second act, Ben Hur goes to Antioch to the house of Simonides, who had been his father's servant. He inquires for his mother and sister, but learns nothing. Once more he meets Messala. Ben Hur obtains leave to drive the horses of Shiek Ilderien against Messala in the great chariot race.

The third act is devoted chiefly to this spectacula race, in which Ben Hur wins by his strategem. It ends with the scene between the Jew and the beautiful Egyptian, Iris.

Ben Hur goes away, in the last act, with Shiek Ilderien, to the desert, where he learns of Christ, the Nazarene. His mother and sister are cured of leprosy by this new King. At the end the Prince of Jerusalem is restored and marries Esther, daughter of the old servant, Simonides.

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The college Glee and Mandolin Club took their regular spring trip during the recent Easter recess. Five concerts were given in central New Hampshire and in the western part of Maine. The cities visited were Lakeport, Ashland, Contocook, Kennebunkport and Portland. The night after the final concert in Portland the "Double Quartet," the Glee Club Quartet and the Mandolin Club Quartet went to Stoughton, Massachusetts, and gave a special concert.

Very fine concerts were given thruout the trip and large and enthusiastic audiences were the rule. The press reports of all the concerts were very flattering to our clubs.

## SPRING

Cease bending low thy weary eyes  
O'er dusty books of ancient lore.  
Dismiss thy cares, and ope thy rusty door  
To gentle breezes wafting from the skies.  
It is springtime, my dear,  
The darling of the year!  
It is the hour when hearts are wont to sing  
Of loving themes, and fragrance of the spring.

The brook which turns our buzzing mill  
Of youth and joy doth ever sing.  
For if, enslaved by man, is forced to swing  
The mossy wheel, yet when on yonder hill  
The evening twilight creeps,  
The stream wildly leaps  
O'er crag and cliff, and down the meadow flees  
Among the flowers and blooming of the trees.

The mist that sails above our head  
Is not the mist of hill or dell;  
For what we see are fumes of dismal Hell  
Begot of myriad woes, and daily fed  
With mother's longing sighs  
And children's toiling cries.  
But on the hills the mist is borne on angel  
wings,  
Distilled from morning's dew, and crystal  
springs.

Come with me to read the rhymes  
Writ upon the scented bush,  
And to hear the solitary thrush  
Pour in magic flow its evening chimes.  
It is the robin's tale  
And not the wintry gale  
That stirs to song the heart-strings of the  
swain,  
And winds the stream again into the plain.

Within the shades of Nature's sway  
There dwells God's own immortal band.  
A thousand pipers warble o'er the land  
Like happy souls unseen, the livelong day.  
While, the masterful wind  
Floating like a searching mind  
Among the leaves, fans into melody  
The giant harp of God's infinity.



Away, ere evening spread the veil  
 Across the woods and billowy deep.  
 The feathered host will soon be hushed to  
     sleep,  
 The wind will cease to tell his mystic tale,  
 The nodding daffodil  
 Beside the bubbling rill  
 Will press its petals closer to its heart  
 Till deathly night with all its shades depart.  
                     COSTAS STEPHANIS, '15.

### LOCALS

The basketball championship games are to be played Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, April 23, 24, 25, in the Girls' Gymnasium at seven o'clock.

Saturday evening, April 18, the New Hampshire Club enjoyed a "Sugaring Off" party followed by games.

### ALUMNI NOTES

At the recent annual banquet of the Connecticut Valley Alumni Association held at Springfield, Mass., Prof. Jordan, Bates '70, was an invited guest. Besides presenting some features of special college interest, he gave an address on the progress of chemistry. There was a large attendance and much interest in the prosperity of the college was shown.

1867—Joel Stevens Parsons, who received from President Cheney the first diploma ever given to a Bates student, is now retired upon his farm in Lidgerwood, Richland Co., North Dakota, after an active business life in Minneapolis.

1871—Hon. O. N. Hilton has sent to the College Library the testimony that he has taken in behalf of the striking miners in the great strike in the Michigan copper district. He is to send also the three volumes containing the testimony taken in Washington.

1881—Dr. J. F. Shattuck is successfully located in Kingston, Mass.

1885—Dr. William Vincent Whitmore was recently elected, without opposition, to his fourth term as a member of the Board of Education, at Tucson, Arizona. At the annual organization of the Board, he was, for the sixth time, elected President. For several years the Tucson schools have been admitted, throughout the state, to be the best in Arizona.

1890—A. N. Peaslee, of St. George School, Newport, R. I., is on leave of absence for this year. He is now in Paris.

Franklin B. Nelson is doing missionary work in Spain, under direction of the Adventists.

1891—Frederick J. Chase has recently moved his law offices to Suite 811-812, Republic Building, Kansas City, Missouri.

1900—A little son was born, April 15, to Dr. and Mrs. Ernest V. Call of Lewiston. Mrs. Call was Mabel Furbush, Bates, '99.

1903—Carroll Linwood Beedy, Bates, 1903, was married on April 18, to Miss Dorothy West Lathrop of New London, Conn. They will be at home in Portland, Maine, after June first.

1904—Perley H. Plant is a member of the senior class in Georgetown University Law School. His address is 1210 N. St., Washington, D. C.

1906—Luther I. Bonney, '06, and Ralph M. Bonney, '13, offer opportunities for summer boarders at Berry Hall, Turner, Maine. They also offer secondary school students opportunities for being tutored in Mathematics, Ancient and Modern Languages. They send out a very attractive prospectus.

1908—Floyd W. Burnell is a teacher in the department of science at the Natick, Mass., High School.

Ralph A. Goodwin is interne at the Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, R. I.

1910—Sunday, April 12, occurred the death of Frank A. Smith. Mr. Smith had been principal of the high school in Avon, Mass. ever since his graduation from Bates.

1911—R. S. Guptill, one of the younger members of the Maine conference, has been transferred to the New Hampshire Conference. He is soon to go to Africa as a missionary.

1912—Francena Quimby is teaching French and Mathematics in the High School in Franklin, Mass.

Lenora G. Webber is a student in the Leland Powers School, Boston.


Mary E. Audley is teaching in Warren, Maine.



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## CALENDAR

THURSDAY, APRIL 30

7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.

FRIDAY, MAY 1

4.30 P.M. Press Club.

8.00 P.M. 'Varsity Debate, Colgate vs. Bates at Lewiston City Hall.

SATURDAY, MAY 2

Bates vs. Colby at Waterville.

Bates 2d vs. Westbrook Seminary at Lewiston.

MONDAY, MAY 4

1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.

4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.

6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current Event Clubs.

TUESDAY, MAY 5

Bates vs. Maine Centrals at Lewiston.

6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Clubs.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 6

Bates vs. Fort McKinley at Portland.

6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.

6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

## TUFTS-BATES DEBATE

Another victory was added to our long list of victories in intercollegiate debating when our 'varsity team defeated Tufts at Medford last Friday night. Our debaters acquitted themselves finely, being especially strong in the rebuttal. The judges returned the decision for the negative, the side defended by Bates.

The question and the opposing teams were:

*Resolved*, That Judicial Decisions of the United States Supreme Court and of the State Supreme Courts upon Constitutional Questions Should be Subject to Recall by Popular Vote.

## TUFTS—Affirmative

H. C. Archibald, '15, *Capt.*

J. Mark, '17.

J. W. Flett, '15.

## Alternate

B. A. Ward, '15.

## BATES—Negative

G. C. Marsden, '14, *Capt.*

P. H. Dow, '15.

E. A. Harding, '15.

## Alternate

A. Schubert, '14.

The presiding officer was Professor H. V. Neal. The judges were Hon. Thomas J. Boynton, Massachusetts Attorney-General, Chairman; Hon. Robert Cushman; and Hon. Roger S. Hoar.

## BATES-COLGATE DEBATE

The Third Annual Debate between Colgate and Bates will be held next Friday night in the Lewiston City Hall. This debate is of especial interest as Colgate and Bates have each won one debate. Colgate is sending a picked team intent on winning this debate. Our 'varsity team is ready and set on keeping up the wonderful record Bates has in debating.

After the debate a reception will be held in honor of the visiting team in Fiske Room, Rand Hall. The college quartet and college orchestra will furnish music thruout the evening.

## VESPER SERVICE

Rev. H. P. Woodin, of Auburn, gave the address at the vesper service on Sunday afternoon. He took his text from Acts 26 and said briefly: "The mission of Jesus was to reveal to men what they were; to bring out possibilities and capabilities which they never dreamed were theirs. Jesus came to Peter and said to him, 'Follow me and I will make you a rock.' After three years Peter's life



showed what Jesus could do with a man. Jesus saw qualities of leadership in Paul. Paul never could have known himself if he had not met Jesus that day. There are evidences to-day of what Jesus can do with men. The explanation of the power and influence of such men as Dr. Grenfell, Lew Wallace, Charles Spurgeon and D. L. Moody is the touch of Jesus. Jesus teaches how to reign and how to live abundantly. He wants to crown manhood with the highest, greatest and noblest things."

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Doxology	
Anthem	Choir
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Gloria	
Hymn	
Scripture	
Solo	Mrs. Winifred Staples Smith
Prayer	
Response	Choir
Address	
Duet	

Miss Girouard, '16, violin  
Prof. Whitehorn, flute

Hymn	
Organ—Postlude	Dr. Barrow

### BASKETBALL

In the Championship Basketball games, the Seniors, Juniors, and Sophomores came out a tie. Owing to the fact that the margins of the Juniors and Seniors were a tie, and that the Juniors made the largest number of goals and the smallest number of fouls, the Championship Banner was awarded to them. The games were, on the whole, the best that have been played for some time. Special mention should be made of 1917, since it did the best work of any Freshman team for several years. Miss Gregory, '16, threw the most goals of any of the forwards, and Miss Roberts, '15, did splendid work at center in addition to the fact that she was the only player in the series who did not make a foul play.

The following are the statistics of the games:

Referees—Mrs. Crockett and Miss Bell.  
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Linesmen—Mrs. Harms, '13 Miss Houdlette, '11; Miss Neal, '12; Miss Pillsbury, '13.  
Margins:

Senior-Freshmen	18— 2—16
Senior-Junior	15— 9— 6
Junior-Freshmen	29—12—17
Junior-Sophomore	18—13— 5
Sophomore-Freshmen	10— 7— 3
Sophomore-Senior	18—11— 7

### BATES 7, LEWISTON 3

A large crowd saw Bates defeat the Lewiston "Cupids" for the second time at the A. A. park, Auburn, Thursday, April 23d. The game was called at the end of the sixth inning on account of the high wind and low temperature. Lindquist pitched three innings and did not allow the leaguers a single hit. Stinson pitched the last three innings. Both Stinson and Butler got two hits, the latter also got a three-base hit.

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### BATES 2D 22, GARDINER HIGH 4

The second team scored an easy victory on Gardiner High School, Wednesday, April 22, at Gardiner. Winslow and Riley worked in the box for the second team. The feature of the game was the batting. Davis got our hits, Witham five and P. Talbot four. In all the Gardiner boys got ten hits and the Bates fellows seventeen.

### INTRA-MURAL LEAGUE

Final arrangements were made Saturday in getting the scrub league teams under way. Five teams were chosen. The five captains for this season are Eldridge, '14, Boyd, '16, Cummings, '16, Wight, '15, and Pidgeon, '15. The schedule which will be played consists of forty games.



### BATES INTERSCHOLASTIC DEBATING LEAGUE

The first preliminary debates in the Bates Interscholastic League have been held with the following results:

Maine Central Institute vs. Deering High School, won by Deering; Camden High vs. Rockland High, won by Rockland;

South Paris High vs. Rumford High, won by Rumford;

Leavitt Institute vs. Kents Hill Seminary, won by Leavitt.

The teams winning these debates will debate in the semi-finals on May 8th. The question for debate will be the same as the question debated in the preliminaries. Deering High will debate Rumford High, and Rockland High will debate Leavitt Institute.

The winners of these two debates will come to Lewiston, probably about May 25, and debate for the Bates Interscholastic Trophy Cup.

### JUNIOR BANQUET

A banquet was held at Rand Hall, Saturday evening, at 9.30, in honor of the Girls' Champion Basketball Team. Twenty-two Juniors, Miss Bell and Miss Curtis were seated at a long table tastefully decorated with flowers, place-cards and candles. The affair was a great success. George Ross catered.

### PORTLAND 15, BATES 1

Bates received its first set-back Saturday, April 25th, at the hands of the Portland N. E. League at Portland. Lindquist and Stinson, who were not in the best of condition, proved an easy mark for the regulars of the Portland team, who pounded out seventeen hits for a total of twenty-eight bases. The score by innings:

Portland	2	3	0	3	0	1	5	1	X	—15	17	2
Bates	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1	6	3

### BATES 2D 5, BOWDOIN 2D 4

The second team held up her reputation last Saturday by defeating the second team of Bowdoin by the close score of 5 to 4. Davis batted for a thousand. Pratt and Peacock did the heavy hitting for Bowdoin second.

Bates 2d	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	X	—5	8	1
Bowdoin 2d	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	—4	7	5

### Y. M. AND Y. W. C. A.

A Union Meeting of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. was held at Libbey Forum, Wednesday evening.

### SPOFFORD CLUB

Thursday evening April 23, the Spofford Club held its regular meeting in Libbey Forum. A poem was read by Mr. Hill, '14; Miss McCann, '14, also read a poem; and Mr. Stephanis, '15, gave the first part of a story which will be completed at the next meeting of the club.

### LITERARY SOCIETIES

Polymnia entertained her sister societies, Eurosophia and Piæria, at Fiske Room, Rand Hall, on Friday evening. All members of the student body and of the faculty were invited. A delightful program consisting of numbers by Mr. Menander Dennett, the college quartet, and mandolin club was followed by a social hour, during which refreshments were served.

### Y. M. C. A.

Prof. Turner spoke at the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. April 22, taking as his subject, "Why I call myself a Christian." The talk was practical and applicable throughout. Christianity was first treated from a negative standpoint. We find that it does not consist of creeds, nor certain forms of worship, nor is it abstinence from some certain thing. It is not necessary that a man experience an overturning of his whole nature before he can be a Christian. The life that Christ set forth does not demand this. We are justified in calling ourselves Christians if we accept Christ as our ideal. If He is our teacher we must be His followers.

In the course of life it seems that the race must progress. Even though all the moral forces should be destroyed, right would eventually prevail. Prof. Turner also suggested that we are approaching a new ideal. To-day many artificial differences exist which must be abandoned. Myriads of problems are confronting us and every man must meet and solve those that belong to him. The new religious movement must be on a democratic basis and it must help men to solve the problems of life.



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To-morrow evening Bates holds her second debate of the season which is the third annual debate with Colgate. At present, Colgate has one victory to her credit and Bates one. This debate means the final struggle in this series.

In any important athletic contest we do not hesitate to support the team. We always feel that it is the duty of every man to be present. In fact, we do not overlook the absence of any member of the student body without reminding him that he is not a loyal Bates man. In the western colleges cheering sections are reserved in contests, such as debating and inter-collegiate oratorical contests. It has been prophesied that the time is not very far removed when our eastern colleges will adopt this method of supporting contests of this nature. Here is a most excellent opportunity for Bates to show her western college cousins that she is not to be outstripped.

Why not have a cheering section reserved for the student body at this debate, and let every man and woman give his or her support. Show the men on the team that you are interested and as ready to stand behind them in this debate, as though they were on the gridiron, track or diamond.

Bates has had an enviable record in debating. Her victories have been many and her defeats few. If we can help these men win this debate by a good rousing Bates yell, why should we hesitate? Let every student think this over to himself or herself and resolve to be present, prepared to cheer for the team and for Bates.

## THE MASTER MAGICIAN

Stanley Ryerson leaned back in the car seat and idly watched the swiftly flying fences and swaying birches. Two hours more and he would be in South Sharon where huge, red posters with gigantic green and yellow letters announced his arrival as "Seigmund Von Herbergen, Master Magician! Prince of Jugglers! The World's Greatest Entertainer!"

A fierce northeast blizzard raged outside and the tiny, icy snowflakes beat with stinging force on the car window. Ryerson remembered the Michigan northeaster of his boyhood and wondered if the charity entertainment, at which he was scheduled to appear, would be well attended. He smiled as he thought of that audience. He—Siegmond Von Herbergen—who triumphantly featured in New York's most exclusive playhouses and drawing-rooms, he who had entertained royalty, now to appear in South Sharon's town hall! But the smile was one of pleasure; for he had intended to return in this same way. His long-anticipated program was working out nicely. He looked with half-curious eyes at the flying country. It had been twenty years since he had looked upon that landscape. He counted the first three buttons on his vest with a little, habitual, mechanical gesture as he thought of all that had happened in those twenty years. Then, unconsciously, he began a sort of mental inventory. He patted his traveling bag at his side; he felt of the metal check in his pocket which represented his baggage in the car behind; he drew



his gold watch from his pocket and noted with satisfaction the small gold medal which served as a charm. And in so doing he observed the fair-sized diamond on his left hand. His clothes, he reflected, represented the best work of one of New York's best houses. And as each detail, each item impressed itself on his mind—the smile of complacency grew. Things in the last twenty years had worked out very much as the runaway lad of twelve had intended they should. The Prince of Jugglers in seat sixteen of the Michigan Express bore little resemblance to the tow-headed, bare-footed, orphan boy, who, with blistered feet, had walked along that same track urged on by his dogged determination to run away and join the circus.

Well, he was going back now—back home, that is, if a town which housed no living relative or friend could be called home. Ryerson yawned slowly and deliberately—and then for the first time in his meditation he frowned. To whom would he recite his success? To whom would he disclose his identity? He pondered. Would there really be any one who would care to know that "The World's Greatest Entertainer" and the runaway orphan were identical? He really wondered; and the more he thought of it, the more he became convinced that, after all, his home-coming was *not* just what he had meant it should be. He had often pictured to himself this return, but somehow he had never thought of himself as returning alone. Always there had been a vague, uncertain Someone at his side to whom the triumph seemed even greater than to himself. It was true that the Someone had been very indefinite and idealistic until two years ago. Then, Ryerson's eyes grew almost dreamy in his day dream, the form had become very certain, the features very real—and the hair was like burnished bronze and the eyes were violet grey.

Ryerson sat up sharply. *That* was all over now. He had been a fool to allow such thoughts to creep in. He picked up the time table beside him and carefully consulted the column headed "Trains going East." And it was then that he noticed for the first time how slowly the train was moving. The express

seemed to scarcely crawl along, and just as he began to realize the significance of the fact, it stopped altogether. The steam radiator in the car hissed as every drop of steam was rushed to the aid of the panting engine; but no response came.

It was after a full hour's strenuous work on the part of the train crew and the passengers, that the conductor reported: "We can't go no farther to-night and the snow-plough won't get here before morning. Some of the crew's gone up to the children's hospital on the hill and if they can get a team through they'll probably come down after us."

The conductor's prophecy was in due time fulfilled, and all the passengers were made warm and comfortable at the Hill Home for Crippled Children. As they sat around the improvised tables at supper, the Prince of Jugglers had a very wonderful idea. He turned toward the matron seated beside him. "I'm the magician, juggler, you know, scheduled to appear at Sharon to-night. I have a part of my apparatus with me. If you thought a few of the stunts would please the children, I—"

But the matron eagerly interrupted him with, "Just the thing! Fine! Up in Ward Two." And so it came about that twenty-eight little maimed and crippled children saw the World's Greatest Entertainer, and twenty-eight pairs of eager hands clapped as vigorously as twenty-eight plasters, casts, and frames would possible permit. And that is how it happened that Billy Turner, usually far away from the noise and confusion of the ward, found out what he was missing and loudly demanded his rights.

"I've seen them guys afore, Nurse Gray; an' some of 'em's keen. Ain't he comin' up here? Ain't I goin' to see his tricks?" The last words held just a hint of tears. They suggested excitement, sleeplessness, fever—and they thoroughly frightened Nurse Gray.

"There, there, Billy, of course he shall come." The violet grey eyes met Billy's blue ones in unwavering promise. "I'll go down myself and see that he does."

The matron, to whom Nurse Gray appealed, hesitated, "He has just put away his apparatus. I dislike to bother him; but I'll see."



The Prince of Jugglers, on the contrary, was not at all reluctant. "Of course the kid shall see some stunts. Where is he?"

On the way to Billy's room the matron explained, "It's one of Dr. Charles' most serious cases—the brightest little fellow imaginable, picked up in the slums. He says he's 'being made over.' He'll be a great man some day if—what's that, Nurse Thompson? I'll go at once. The fourth door at your left, Mr. Von Herbergen."

At the fourth, left-hand door, Ryerson stopped, then called out with mock ceremony and pomp: "Siegmond Von Herbergen desires to demonstrate to Mr. Billy certain of the magic wonders of—"

"Oh! Nurse, it's—it's the juggler man!"

Stanley Ryerson gazed at the poor, little, old face and at the metal frame which rigidly held the little body; then his glance went higher and rested on a very trim, pale nurse whose hair gleamed like bronze under the shaded light bulb. The travelling bag fell from Stanley's nerveless hand. He started forward. "*Marjorie!*"

But scarcely was the word uttered before the bronze head was suddenly very erect and the eyes were steely gray. "Mr.—Mr. Magician," the voice matched the eyes, "My patient is waiting. I shall have to ask you to—"

"Say," broke in Billy, "Can you do the empty bottle trick?"

"Sure! Easiest ever!"

And so the entertainment began, and went on. Sometimes the brown eyes met the grey ones, but oftener they did not. Once their hands met as she passed him an empty pill-box, and Ryerson noted that hers was very cold.

In the course of the performance, Billy confided that he knew how to do the watch-tumbler trick. "But I can't do it fast afore people. How do *you* do it so quick?" added Billy.

The Prince of Jugglers laughed. "Oh! you want to practise, and practise, and practise, and then—why just go straight ahead and *do* it."

The egg had walked the silver knife; the bottomless bottle had held some of Billy's own medicine; the doll had danced on air for quite twenty minutes; Nurse Gray's very cap had been proved to contain twelve roses, six balls, eight flags, three fresh eggs, and a gold piece which was to be Billy's own. With interest still keen Billy now waited for the crowning climax—the top that spun forever. Billy's eyes grew sleepier and sleepier, and the eyelids drew nearer and nearer together as the reds, yellows, and greens of the top sped madly round and round.

The Master Magician turned toward the window where a bronze head crowned a stiff blue uniform. "*Marjorie.*" His tone was at the same time sad and almost bitter. "*Marjorie, the performance is over.*"

There was no answer, and Ryerson started to pick up his scattered implements. Billy was quite asleep now and the top spun less vigorously and more uncertainly. The World's Greatest Entertainer started toward the door. Then from the window a voice almost as cold as the icicles outside said, "You are still a very great magician, I see."

"No!" the tone was sharp. "I am NOT a great magician. I am not so great as I was—once; for once—I—almost persuaded you with my magic—but now—"

The bronze head bowed and the eyes were once more violet; but no words came.

It was then that the top that spun forever fell from sheer exhaustion to the floor. Billy, partially awakened by the noise, murmured thickly, "Practise—and—and then—you—just go—ahead and *do* it."

And the Master Magician did.

HAZEL MITCHELL, '16.

## THE BATES PAGEANT

Among the features which are being planned for the celebration of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the founding of Bates College is the presentation of a Pageant on Tuesday afternoon of Commencement week. The history of the founding of Bates and the story of her growth is rich in scenic and dramatic possibilities.

On April tenth there met in Boston a special pageant committee and the necessary preliminary arrangements were perfected. The



committee consists of Professor H. V. Neal, '90, Chairman; Professor and Mrs. F. E. Pomeroy, '99 Miss Gertrude Miller, '96; Rev. E. B. Smith, '04; Dr. W. N. Thompson, '88; Mrs. George M. Chase, 1900, Donald B. Parttridge, '14. Mrs. Chase was made Secretary of the Committee.

It is expected that an expert in the art of pageantry will be engaged to give his entire attention to making this pageant a noteworthy event both artistically and historically. President Chase met with the Committee and made vivid the vital dramatic incidents in the history of Bates.

The following are a few scenes from the wealth of possible material:

1. The inception of Bates College in the mind of ex-President Cheney. A letter is handed to President Cheney saying "Parsonsfeld Seminary is on fire and it is impossible to save it." Instantly the resolve is born to found a better and a stronger institution.

2. Dr. Cheney and Mr. Lyford in the sick-room of Ebenezer Knowlton decide to organize such a school and to go before the legislature to ask for a charter and an appropriation.

3. Dr. Cheney presenting the charter to the Governor, Hon. Anson P. Morrell, to sign. This was at ten o'clock at night on the last day of the session.

A committee consisting of Col. William R. Frye, uncle of Senator Frye, Col. William H. Waldron, a founder of the *Lewiston Journal*, and John W. Perkins, a prominent business man of Lewiston, present the claims of Lewiston to a convention called for the purpose of deciding where to locate the institution. Lewiston offered \$15,000 and a campus of 20 acres, and after long deliberation it was decided to establish the institution in Lewiston.

5. Laying of the corner-stone of Hathorn Hall, with its unique ceremonies.

6. A committee of young men and women appear before President Cheney and present a petition asking that the Maine State Seminary be made a College.

7. The enlistment in 1863 of a large number of the students in the Seminary for the Civil War and their departure—a stirring scene.

8. The first Freshman class of the College, ten young men and six young women.

9. "Let one of the brethren have it," an episode in the life of Mary Mitchell, the first woman graduate—later a professor at Vassar College.

10. Inauguration of President Chase.

11. The establishment of the "cut" system at Bates—a custom established by Professor Stanton.

12. Professor Stanton and a Bird Class.

13. The Present Graduating Class of 1914, flanked by Alumni.

The Committee is counting on the College students to take hold of this plan with enthusiasm and help to carry through one of the finest things ever attempted by Bates College.

#### ALUMNI NOTES

1869—Galen A. Newhall, who retired from the Methodist ministry in 1909, is now living in Winslow, Maine.

1877—Herbert F. Shaw has been a practicing physician in Mt. Vernon, Maine, since 1883.

1880—Ivory F. Frisbee, who was or many years principal of Nichols Latin School, is practicing law in Boston, Mass. His offices are at 727 Tremont Street.

James F. Parsons is living in Barston, Quebec. He is engaged in lumbering and farming.

1881—Edgar T. Pitts is pastor of the Congregational Church at Epping, N. H. He is a very popular lecturer and does much of that work in New Hampshire.

1886—Albert H. Duren is Supt. of Schools in Fort Collins, Colorado.

Joel W. Goff holds the position of Professor of English and Vice-President of the State Normal School, at Madison, South Dakota.

1888—William L. Powers is having very good success as principal of the State Normal School at Machias, Maine. The school has been quite recently founded. It has a large girls' dormitory now under construction.

1897—Everett Skillings is Professor of German in Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont.

1898—Ernest L. Collins is principal of the High School in Quincy, Mass.



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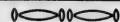
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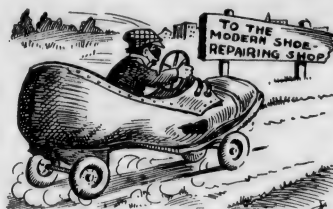
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, MAY 7

7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.

### FRIDAY, MAY 8

4.30 P.M. Press Club.  
Bates 2d vs. Maine Central Institute at Lewiston.  
Play presented by Girls' Athletic Association.

### SATURDAY, MAY 9

Dual Track Meet, Bates vs. U. of M. at Orono.  
Bates vs. Maine at Lewiston.  
Bates 2d vs. Kents Hill at Kents Hill.

### MONDAY, MAY 11

1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current Events Club.  
7.30 P.M. Jordan Scientific Society.

### TUESDAY, MAY 12

6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Clubs.

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

Bates vs. Maine at Orono.  
Bates 2d vs. Gardiner High at Lewiston.  
6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

## LECTURE BY PROFESSOR RUSSELL

Prof. W. S. C. Russell, Bates '95, of the Springfield High School gave an illustrated lecture on Iceland, Monday evening, April 27, in the assembly room, Hathorn Hall. The lecture was under the auspices of the Jordan Scientific Society.

Prof. Jordan introduced the speaker as a man who had won great distinction in his line and who was an honor to Bates.

Mr. Russell stated first that Iceland was

discovered because of a woman. To win this woman for his bride, Harold, the fair-haired, conquered Norway and drove out the Vikings. The Vikings then settled in the Faroes Isles and later in Iceland.

Iceland was described as a land of volcanoes. The greater part of the island is uninhabited. The speaker paid a splendid tribute to the Icelanders and spoke very touchingly of his friendship with several natives. Mr. Russell spoke of the Icelanders as a refined and cultured race, the cleanest and most moral people on earth.

Education is highly prized. The little University of Iceland has given to the world some of its greatest men. It is the ambition of every child there to obtain an education, and every child can read and write.

Last summer Mr. Russell spent in surveying in the volcanic region, reaching lands that no man had ever seen before. He intends to return to his work there this next summer.

## THE COLGATE-BATES DEBATE

The Third Annual Debate between Colgate and Bates was held last Friday night in the Lewiston City Hall. The question was, *Resolved*, That the Monroe Doctrine should no longer form a part of the permanent foreign policy of the United States. The Bates team had the affirmative, while Colgate defended the negative.

Colgate won the debate after a contest so close as to leave the outcome very doubtful in the minds of the audience. In awarding the debate to Colgate, the judges announced that the highest individual excellence belonged to a member of the Bates team.

Colgate had a fine, well-balanced team. Every member spoke as a born orator. The



Bates team presented their arguments in a masterly way that caused the students to be proud of their team. It was an excellent debate throughout.

About seven hundred people listened to the debate. The Bates student body sat in a reserved section and cheered for the team and the individual members. Fine support was given during the whole debate by the students.

The college quartet rendered several selections, which were loudly applauded by the audience. The quartet and the orchestra furnished the music for the evening.

The Colgate team was B. C. Clausen, '15, leader; L. D. Edie, '14; C. A. Kallgren, '17; and M. E. McDowell, '15, alternate. The Bates team was J. R. Packard, '14, leader; G. B. Gustin, '15; E. L. Sexton, '15; and L. R. Carey, '15, alternate.

After the debate a reception was given at Rand Hall in honor of the visiting team. In the receiving line were President Chase, Prof. Hartshorn, Dean Buswell, Miss Mills, the members of the Colgate team and the members of the Bates teams.

We should all be very grateful to Mr. Packard, the leader of our team, for his sacrifice in participating in the debate. A few weeks ago Mr. Packard won first place in the State Peace Oration Contest and thus was selected to represent Maine in the contest for the Eastern States held in New York. This contest came last Friday night, the same night as the debate, and Mr. Packard gave up his opportunity in order to remain here and debate with his team.

#### MAINE INTER-COLLEGIATE TRACK MEET

Preparations are rapidly being completed for the handling of the record-breaking crowd that is expected to be present at the track meet of May 16th. The seating capacity of the bleachers has been increased, and the old edge-board is being replaced where most needed.

University of Maine has promised to send down 800 students; Bowdoin and Colby expect to have their whole student body present as a cheering squad.

The grand-stand seats will be reserved for visitors, the bleachers will be occupied by the students of the four colleges. The student admission price, including seat, will be one dollar, as in former years.

#### LOCALS

Tuesday evening the Junior Resident Girls pleasantly entertained a party of Bates men by a May Party. The early part of the evening was spent in playing lively games, such as "The Bird Romance," "The Flower Romance," and "He Laughs Best Who Laughs Last." Nuts and candies were served during the games. Partners for refreshments were picked by matching miniature Maybaskets. The refreshments consisted of waldorf salad, sandwiches, olives, marshmallow cream, cake and punch. The color scheme was pink and white, the house being prettily decorated with pink and white crepe paper. Mayflowers were also in abundance. The hostesses were Misses Ruby Wheeler, Pearl Wheeler, Helen Hertell, Maude Howard, Cecilia Walsh, Viola Nevens, Gladys Merrill, Jessie Leighton, Sarah Rosenbloom and Elizabeth Wood.

Their guests were Messrs. Earle R. Clifford, Philip Thissell, Ernest M. Gerry, Earle A. Harding, Carleton S. Fuller, William McCullough, Shelton E. Keneston, Ernest L. Small, William F. Manuel and Norman D. Meader.

Mrs. Wheeler acted as chaperon.

Miss Corbett, the Field Secretary of the Y. W. C. A., spent the week end at Bates. While here, she held several meetings for the girls. She has been coming twice a year for five years, but this is her last visit for some time, as she begins work in a new field in the West next year.

The first meeting of the "Eight Weeks' Club" was held at Rand Hall, Thursday evening, at 6.45, under the leadership of Mrs. Hartshorn. Plans were discussed for the summer work of the girls along the line of forming clubs in the country.

The Walking Club held its first meeting for this year, Saturday afternoon, May 1, and enjoyed a very pleasant walk.



## DIVISION OF THE

## LITERARY SOCIETIES

For several years the three college literary societies have not been successful in accomplishing the purposes for which they were founded. Some time ago a committee of the faculty was appointed to investigate into the conditions and to decide what could be done to remedy the existing ills. Last fall this committee met the officers of the societies and talked over conditions. This committee has been investigating the standing of literary societies in colleges thruout the East and as far West as the Rocky Mountains, both by personal visits and by correspondence. After this study of the work of societies similar to ours in many parts of the land, the trustees of the college and the faculty have decided upon a plan to be followed in re-organizing the societies. This plan was explained to the student body this week.

The invariable reply to inquiry from all institutions was "No societies of both men and women." This is the basis upon which our societies will be re-organized. Careful study shows that this is the best plan. The interests of men and women differ so widely to-day that they cannot work together to advantage in such societies. Furthermore, at the present time women are coming more and more into public life, they need the training in public speaking, management of societies and practice in parliamentary law that the literary societies afford now to the men alone in great measure. Still, the majority of men have a greater desire to become practiced in debating and orations than women, and they can best pursue this work by themselves.

As to the actual method of separating the men and women it was deemed best, after studying the history of the societies from their establishment, that the women should withdraw from the present societies, leaving the old names and organizations to the men. Then the women, after due deliberation and consultation with the Dean, shall organize new societies, suited to their particular needs and

desires. This decision was reached in view of the fact that the present societies were originally for men alone, and it has only been within recent years that any considerable number of women have been members.

The second fundamental requirement of a successful society was found to be this: A pledge must be given by each member upon joining to take part at any time a part is assigned to him by the proper committee. It was recommended that a list of the meetings for several weeks ahead and those to take part in each meeting be published frequently to give members opportunity to plan accordingly.

A third necessity in the re-organization is a limitation of the membership of any society. This limit should on no account be over 50, and preferably not more than 30 or 35.

Other suggestions made by the committee were that meetings should be held only once in two weeks. It was also suggested that it might be better to have officers serve for only one semester, thus giving more students the chance to profit from the experience of presiding over meetings or having some other responsibility in the management of the society.

## JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

Last Monday the Jordan Scientific Society made an all day trip to Lisbon Falls and Bath. The members of the society were courteously received by Mr. Mumford at the paper and pulp mills at Lisbon Falls. The process of paper making was explained in detail, from the chipping of the wood to the finished product. The society took the noon car for Bath. Thru the kindness of Mr. Owen, the designer of the new cup defender "Defiance," the model of this craft was fully explained. The society then visited several other yachts of the New York Yacht Club. The shops and yards were open to the members, and such processes as smelting, moulding, and the finishing of castings were witnessed.

The society owes Dr. Jordan many thanks, in making this trip possible.



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The problem of the literary societies here at Bates, has long been one of the chief sources of perplexity to the Faculty and student body. After due consideration and investigation a committee composed of members of the faculty have decided to separate the men and the women of the college. It is proposed to organize separately and limit the membership to conform to such conditions, that shall lead to the organization with successful results.

In order to insure the success of this new plan, it is necessary that every man of the student body, who belongs to any one of the three literary societies, shall be present at the annual elections of officers to-morrow evening at 7.30. It is desired by the committee that the men of these three societies meet, elect officers and talk over the plan of organization.

Make it your business to be present and voice your opinion, in this new plan of reconstruction.

Although our debating team lost to Colgate last Friday night, we feel that our opponents earned their victory in every sense of the word. The members of our team delivered their arguments in a masterly style and were quick to perceive a point, and were able to push it to its logical conclusion. By this defeat Colgate places herself on record as being one of but six different institutions, who have been able to defeat a Bates team. The wonderful record set up by our debating teams is undoubtedly without an equal. We have won 29 debates and lost but 7, giving us a standing of 91.6 per cent.

By graduation we will lose two valuable men in G. C. Marsden and J. R. Packard. Both of these men were on last year's team which sent the Colgate aggregation down to defeat. This season Mr. Marsden was leader of the team that won its debate from Tufts College, while Mr. Packard was the leader of the trio of last Friday evening's debate. We believe that we have the material to maintain the same excellence in debating for the future. What we want is the same kind of support as was exhibited last Friday evening, when nearly one hundred and fifty men sat in a cheering section reserved for them and gave their support to the team. By this demonstration of interest in debating, we believe that Bates men have started a precedent that will remain

## WOMEN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

At the business meeting of the Girls' Athletic Association the following officers were elected:

President—Una Mills, '15.  
Vice-President—Alice King, '16.  
Secretary—Eleanor Newman, '17.  
Treasurer—Frances Malone, '15.  
Asst. Treas.—Florence Nelson, '16.

### Managers

Basketball—Mabel Durgan, '15.  
Volleyball—Winnefred Jewell, '15.



Tennis—Ruth Beane, '15.

Hockey—Esther Wadsworth, '15.

Track—Ida Kimball, '15.

Baseball—Mildred Bassett, '15.

Walking—Gladys Tilton, '15.

Owing to Miss Jewell's resignation the position of Volleyball Manager is not yet filled.

#### Y. M. & Y. W. C. A.

A union meeting of the Christian Associations was held in Libby Forum April 29. Webster, '17, sang a solo. Canon Nolan gave the evening talk, taking for his subject the "Signs of the Times." A nation goes to destruction step by step and every step is a signal. There are moral, physical, and mental warnings continually out as signs of the times and it is our duty to interpret these signs. The decay of manhood and womanhood marks the decline of a nation. The speaker showed the standard in height of the British army has been declining from that of six feet, until at the present time a man five feet tall is readily admitted.

There has been an alarming decline in idealism. Men and women are not writing great verse—perhaps because they fail to read great poetry. To-day men can dilly dally, and women can slip from flower to flower. Our forefathers sacrificed themselves for the sake of their ideals.

This age represents a decline in seriousness and a corresponding increase in frivolity. Men are unable to sit through a great lecture, so tired do great ideals make them. Our greatest universities stand for athletics and perspiration. The passing of this crisis is the time for continual prayer. With the music of continual prayer running through one's life, that life will be noble and great and will be bound in chains of gold about the feet of God.

#### GIRLS' MUSICAL CLUBS

A large and appreciative audience greeted the Girls' Musical Clubs at the Turner Centre Grange Hall on Friday evening. The trip was

regarded as a success from every point of view. Prof. and Mrs. Hertell chaperoned the party.

#### SPOFFORD CLUB

Thursday evening, April 30, the Spofford Club met at the usual hour with an especially interesting program. Miss Ryder presented a short story, "Peter, the Child;" Miss Lougee read a story entitled "The Atonement of Twinkle;" Mr. Stephanis continued his story from last week; and Mr. Woodman gave another translation from the Spanish poet, Becquer.

#### BASEBALL

##### BATES 1, HARVARD 2

The invincible Harvard team, which has been beaten but once this year, barely defeated Bates at Cambridge, Mass., Tuesday, April 28th, by the score of 2 to 1. It was a pitchers' battle from start to finish in which Stinson showed great form and allowed the home team only six hits. Bates scored her only run in the first inning when Mahan walked two men, hit another and Talbot hit safely.

Harvard ..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 X—2  
Bates ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Two-base hit—Mahan. Three-base hit—Gannett. Stolen bases—Nash (2). First base on balls—Off Mahan 3, Stinson 1. Struck out—By Mahan 0, by Stinson 4. Umpires—Kelly and O'Reilly.

The Boston College and Holy Cross games were called off on account of rain.

##### BATES 2D 4, HEBRON 8

Bates second team was defeated by Hebron at Hebron, Wednesday, April 29th, by the score of 4 to 8. The game was played in a pouring rain which made it almost impossible to control the ball. The game was



called in the seventh inning. Eldridge and Davis furnished the batting feature for Bates 2d.

BATES 2D 3, WESTBROOK 10

The fifth inning proved fatal to the second team last Saturday on Garcelon Field. In this inning Westbrook sent eight men across the plate. Errors on the part of the Bates team was the reason for this landslide. Up to this inning Bates was in the lead by the score of 3 to 2. Winslow worked well in the box for the second team. The feature of the game was the hitting and base-running of Danahy who stole home in the first inning.

Score by innings:

	R	BH	E
Westbrook ..	1 0 0 1 8 0 0 0 0	10	8 1
Bates .....	2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0	3	8 10

BATES 6, COLBY 2

Bates defeated Colby, 6 to 2, in the first State championship game of the season, last Saturday at Waterville. The fact that this is the first time for years that Bates has defeated Colby makes this victory the more gratifying to Bates' supporters.

Bates got one score in the first inning on Talbot's single to center. Colby tied the score in the second when LaFleur tripled to left field and Fraser singled. Shuster's home run in the third game gave Colby the lead.

Stinson succeeded Lindquist in the fourth and, although hit freely, he received good support and did effective work when necessary. In the sixth and seventh Bates secured a safe lead by bunching hits.

The score:

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Coady, 3b.....	5	1	1	1	2	0
McDonald, ss. 5	2	1	1	1	3	2
Fuller, 2b....	3	1	1	2	4	1
Talbot, c.....	4	1	2	8	1	0
Butler, c.f....	4	1	1	2	0	0
Cobb, 1b.....	4	0	0	10	0	0

Davis, r.f.....	4	0	0	2	0	0
Drake, l.f.....	4	0	0	1	1	0
Lindquist, p... 3	0	1	0	0	0	0
Stinson, p.....	3	0	1	0	0	0
Totals ....	37	6	7	27	11	3

COLBY

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Shuster, c.f.....	5	1	3	0	0	0
Smith, 1b.....	3	0	0	12	0	1
Caroley, ss....	5	0	0	4	6	0
Nutting, l.f., r.f.	4	0	1	0	0	0
LaFleur, 3b....	4	0	3	0	1	1
Fraser, r.f.....	2	1	0	1	0	0
Simpson, l.f....	1	0	0	0	0	0
Deasey, l.f.....	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brunelle, 2b... 2	0	1	1	1	2	0
Campbell, 2b....	1	0	0	1	1	0
Barker, c.....	3	0	1	7	0	1
James, p.....	4	0	0	1	3	0
Totals.....	35	2	9	27	13	3

Score by innings:

Bates .....	1 0 0 0 0 2 2 1 0	6
Colby .....	0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	2

Three-base hits—LaFleur. Home runs—Shuster. Hits off Lindquist, 3 in 3 innings; off Stinson 6, in six innings; off James, 7. Stolen bases—Fuller, Butler, Coady, McDonald, Smith. Double plays—Davis to Fuller to Cobb. Left on bases—Bates 5, Colby 10. First bases on balls—By James 1. Struck out—By Lindquist, 1; by Stinson, 6; by James, 5. Umpire—Berry.

## ALL ALUMNI ATTENTION

This year marks our Semi-Centennial. At the Commencement a new feature is to be introduced, not only as a special feature of this Celebration, but with the thought of making it a permanent feature, if it seems best, of Bates Commencements. This new feature is a program of general merrymaking by the different classes of the Alumni such as is carried on at many of our larger colleges.



This Commencement of all Commencements should belong to the Alumni. They should make a supreme effort to be back in full numbers. It should be the GRAND RE-UNION OF ALL THE CLASSES. Tuesday, June 23d, is Alumni Day. In the forenoon there is to be a program of athletic events by the Alumni on Garcelon Field. In connection with this the "College Circus" is to be held. This is to be an historico-humorous parade of the classes about the field, with "stunts" by the different classes following. Historical incidents associated with the development of Bates, illustrated soberly or unsoberly; "things you did," wise or otherwise, will all be eligible to place in parade. Class statistics, mention of members who have won honored places, etc., etc., may well be carried on large cards or any other way. Class banners of olden days, trophies, etc., should be there.

After the "parade" the classes will each present for the edification of the grandstand whatever they have prepared. Burlesques on present national or international matters, or local matters, which lend themselves to humorous treatment, clowns, merry-makers, etc., suggest the idea in the minds of the Committee. The class furnishing the best get-up to win the "prize."

We ask ALL GRADUATES to take up this matter AT ONCE in their respective classes. We have only two months. There is no time to lose. Everybody get busy. Write two or three "leaders" of your class today. *Get it started.* And bring your class out on top.

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## ALUMNI NOTES

1886—Dr. Sherman G. Bonney has been appointed a delegate to represent Bates at the inauguration of the new president of the University of Colorado.

1892—Rev. A. P. Davis, for five years pastor of the Free Baptist Church at Franklin, N. H., is to be pastor of the "Baptist Church of Franklin"—the united Baptist and Free Baptist churches. The resident membership of the new church will be about 230, and it will have a Sunday School of nearly 300 members.

1901—Willard K. Bachelder has recently been appointed vestryman in Bishop Brent's cathedral parish in Manila, P. I. Mr. Bachelder has been for several years a district superintendent of schools in the Philippines.

1907—Mabel M. Porter is a teacher of Mathematics in the high school in Paterson, N. J.

1908—Elisabeth W. Anthony is spending the spring at the home of her father, A. W. Anthony of Lewiston.

Miss Bertha E. Lewis holds a responsible position at Northfield Seminary, East Northfield, Mass.

Ethel L. Hutchinson is preceptress of the Ricker Classical Institute at Houlton, Maine.

1911—Grace Lewis has recently gone to Amesbury, Mass., to teach in the high school there. Miss Lewis spent the first of the year at her home in Gardiner, Me.

1911—Walter J. Graham, who has been an instructor in English at Western Reserve University, has been appointed to a Fellowship in English at Columbia, where he will study for the degree of Ph.D.

1912—Abigail Kincaid is doing graduate work at Cornell University this year.

Ruth T. Humiston is teaching in Lincoln Normal School, Marion, Alabama. Her work is entirely with negro pupils.

Carlton Bly is working for the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. in Akron, Ohio.

Clinton H. Bonney is teaching Latin and German in Claflin University at Orangeburg, S. C., a college for negroes under the control of the Freedman's Aid Society of the Methodist Church.

Charles N. Stanhope is a student in Maine Medical School, in the class of 1917.

1913—Clifton I. Holt, instructor in the high school at Spencer, Mass., is in Lewiston for the spring vacation.



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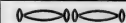
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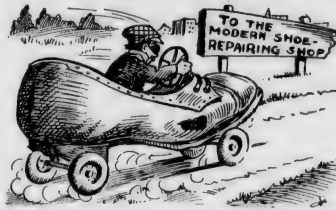
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## CALENDAR

- THURSDAY, MAY 14  
7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.
- FRIDAY, MAY 15  
4.30 P.M. Press Club.  
Operetta presented by Girls A. A.,  
Hathorn Hall.
- SATURDAY, MAY 16  
Maine Intercollegiate Track Meet,  
Garcelon Field.  
A.M. Trials.  
P.M. Finals.
- SUNDAY, MAY 17  
4.00 P.M. Vespers in Bates College Chapel.  
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- MONDAY, MAY 18  
1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current  
Events Clubs.
- 8.00 P.M. Bowdoin-Bates Joint Concert, City  
Hall.
- TUESDAY, MAY 19  
Bates 2d vs. Lewiston High at  
Lewiston.
- 6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current  
Events Clubs.
- WEDNESDAY, MAY 20  
Bates vs. Colby at Lewiston.
- 6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Address by Mr.  
Leiper of Amherst College.
- 6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

## "CINDERELLA"

The Girls' Musical Clubs are planning to present the operetta "Cinderella," May 15, at 8 P.M. in Hathorn Hall. The principal parts will be taken as follows: Cinderella, Geneva Sturtevant, '14, of Norway; Wicked Sisters, Clara B. Neal, '14, of Farmington, N. H., and Helen Downs, '14, of Riverhead, N. Y.; the Prince, Helen Humiston, '14, of Effingham, N. H.; White Bird, Edith George, '14, of Medford, Mass.

## MEN'S LITERARY SOCIETIES

Last Friday evening the men who are members of Eurosophia, Piæria and Polymnia, gathered in their respective society rooms, re-organized and elected officers. The results were:

Eurosophia: President, Earle A. Harding, '15; Vice-President, Henry Johnson, '16; Secretary, Harold Drew, '16; Treasurer, Victor Swicker, '16; Chairman Executive Committee, Louis B. Knight, '15.

Piæria: President, Louis Jordan, '15; Vice-President, Robert Greene, '16; Treasurer, Victor Greene, '17; Secretary, Sylvester Knowles, '17; Chairman Executive Committee, Paul Smith, '15.

Polymnia: President, Kenneth Witham, '15; Vice-President, V. P. Merrill, '16; Treasurer, Richard Boothby, '16; Chairman Executive Committee, E. L. Saxton, '15.

## MISS ALLEN, DOMESTIC

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Instead of giving her class of young ladies a regular lesson, Miss Allen one week had taken them to inspect a model dairy. To the delight of her domestic-scientific soul, she had succeeded in showing the dairyman a model class. They had understood the action of the sterilizer, and had asked intelligent questions about the care of the cows and the principle of the milk-cooler. Not one of the class had been afraid of the much-washed cattle (because they were dehorned), and each had bravely put her fingers into the electric milker to get a clearer idea of its action. The afternoon had been a most satisfactory one for Miss Allen, and she looked forward with enthusiasm to another trip.

On the day appointed for the next expedition, the teacher met her gay group of girls and they boarded the electric car for the Jenks' farm. After a quarter of an hour's ride, they gladly left the jolting car. Giving



a sign for the class to follow, Miss Allen plunged on ahead thru the thick spring mud, up a fir-bordered hill road, towards a low, old-fashioned, yellow farmhouse and a huge red barn. At the top of the slope she turned to her chattering retinue. "We're just in time, girls. I thought we should be. Mr. Jenks is driving the cows home now."

The animals appeared, slowly climbing the steep hill behind the barn. Mr. Jenks was at the rear, stoutly cudgeling a particularly obstinate cow. The girls kept at a safe distance, eyeing the muddy, long-horned creatures somewhat doubtfully. After all, the other animals had galloped wildly and awkwardly into the barn, the last cow refused to go. She did not like the crowd of strangers. Tossing her head and kicking up her heels, away she started down the road. Of all the girls, Mildred Whitcomb was the only one who dared run out and brandish a stick before the unruly cow. The beast lowered her horns as if to make a rush towards the girl, but stopped short, shook her head, and turned back when Mildred stood firm.

"The cows are always wild in the spring when they're let out to pasture for the first time," explained Mr. Jenks. "Besides, Fan's a dreadful contrary kind o' critter, anyhow. She's allers scared o' strangers, especially if it's women-folks. You gals jest keep quiet, an' don't frighten her. I'll git her in, in a few minutes."

Mildred guarded the way down the road and Miss Allen the way up. The girls kept still, and finally the man succeeded in driving the obstreperous Fan up over the sill and into the barn, where he tied her fast.

"Lucky for me yer don't come every day, so many of yer!" He puffed as he wiped his forehead with his blue bandanna. "That pesky Fan's allers makin' trouble. I wouldn't keep her if she wa'n't the best milker I've got. Did you folks come to see the farm?"

"Yes. We are from Coman College. I am Miss Allen, the domestic science teacher. This is my class in sanitation. We've come to watch the milking and see the stables."

"That's good, ma'am!" was the hearty reply. "I've got some mighty fine stock here—

Ayrshire and Jersey, mostly, an' all inspected. You'll see the buttons in their ears, if yer look. That shows they're O. K."

"Do you have a milk route, or do you sell to the creamery?" inquired one of the class.

"Neither, miss. I make butter instead. Give the skim milk to the hogs, yer know, when there ain't no calves. My wife used to make prime butter and I've done the best I could sence she died, three year ago come Thanksgiving'."

Meanwhile he had taken his three-legged stool and galvanized pail in one hand and a mass of gray cloth in the other, and had begun at the end of the line.

"Come, girls," said Miss Allen, "let's see how Mr. Jenks works. Don't you wash the cows before milking them?"

"Oh, no, ma'am, it takes too much time, but I allers wipe off their sides an' my hands, so there ain't any dirt gits into the milk." Suiting the action to the words, Mr. Jenks used the soiled gray cloth on the cow and then on himself, and gave his hands a second swipe across his overalls to insure perfect cleanliness. Turning her face away in genuine horror, Miss Allen noted the untidiness of the place, the cobwebs filled with dust and bits of hay, hanging from the beams and little windows, the muddy floor, and the dirty, matted straw in the stalls. She looked at the girls to see if they took in the enormity of the unsanitary conditions. By their faces she was convinced that they did.

"May the girls ask you questions, Mr. Jenks?"

"Sure! I'll let 'em do anything they want. They can help me milk if they'd like to. Don't that girl that drove Fan know how? Oh, well, sis, you needn't. I see you've got yer best bib an' tucker on. I'm only milkin' eight now, anyhow, so I'm 'most done."

While he was finishing, the girls asked him question after question, to find out what he knew of dairy machinery and hygienic conditions. He had heard of such things, but thought it all nonsense. The cows would get sick if he took too good care of them, and the machinery cost too much. It was just foolishness, anyhow. When his wife was living she



kept the place looking a little better and had been fussy about having the barn clean. He admitted that her butter had brought a larger price than his. She was an extra good hand at churning.

After the class had watched the straining of the milk and some had turned the separator-handle, they decided there was no more to be seen and started off down the hill to their car. Miss Allen stayed to ask a few more questions, hoping to arouse in the man an interest for better conditions.

"Do you have running water in the barn?"

"No, ma'am, the cows go to the well to drink. Didn't yer notice the trough out there?"

"Oh, yes, but I meant for washing the cows. You know that at some farms they are washed twice a day."

In surprise, Mr. Jenks leaned against the shed door. "Think o' that, now!"

"The milk sells for a higher price, you see, because it does not contain so many bacteria."

"Law, ma'am, my milk don't have any o' them things in it! It's as good and clean as yer can find anywhere in the state!"

Miss Allen did not smile. "I meant germs, microbes," she explained. "Those are always found in milk."

"Oh, yes. I've heard tell o' microbes. They make folks sick. That's why I wipe the cows off so careful; so no microbes will get into the milk. Do washin' help keep more of 'em out?"

"Yes, indeed. And there are a few more things that you could easily do, if you wish to, Mr. Jenks, to destroy the microbes. Would you like to know how?"

"Yes, ma'am, I should. I don't hanker after eatin' an' drinkin' them little bugs. I'd be glad to know about anything to kill 'em. Anything that won't hurt the herd, of course," he added, hastily.

There was no doubt of his interest. Miss Allen ventured a suggestion. "Don't you suppose you could keep the barn cleaner? After the first cleaning, it wouldn't be very hard nor take much time every day. Microbes breed in dirt, you know, so you don't want to give them a chance. And there's another thing, too. Sunlight kills them quicker than

anything else. You have a beautiful southern exposure here. Why don't you have large windows to let in the sun? Wash your cows, keep the barn clean, and let in all the sunlight possible. Then you can get a higher price for your products."

Miss Allen grew eloquent as she tactfully suggested other possible improvements, and saw that the man was thinking hard. Suddenly he straightened to his full height and his serious blue eyes looked down at her admiringly.

"I say, Miss Allen, you've got a dandy head on yer! Yer make me think of Almiry, standin' there and bossin' me. She was jest about your size, only she was light-complected. I done a good business on the farm while she was alive. She had a good head on her, Almiry did. I've jest been thinkin', Miss Allen, while you was talkin', that I'll bet you an' me together could make the old place pay. What do you say? Will yer try it?"

Before the eagerness in his voice and the look in his eyes Miss Allen retreated, red and gasping. "I—I—er—I'm afraid I'll miss my car!" And away she darted with the farmer in pursuit. Halfway down the hill he caught her by the arm.

"Please, ma'am, won't yer think it over?"

"Oh, oh, I can't!" I mustn't! I'm sorry to hurt you, but—"

Rosy and shy she looked up at the tall man and spoke almost in a whisper, hesitating between the words. "You see—you see—I've promised—somebody else."

The man turned awkwardly and slowly climbed the hill, in every movement deep dejection. Miss Allen watched until she saw his bowed silhouette against the rose of the sunset sky. Then she was obliged to run for her car.

A few minutes later, Mildred Whitcomb called out across the aisle, "Your face is as flushed as can be, Miss Allen. It's too bad you had to run." Putting her hand to her throbbing cheek, "I *did* have to hurry, and my face *does* feel warm," calmly agreed the very straight and dignified domestic science teacher.

—H. M. J., '16.



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The National Collegiate Athletic Association at the evening session one year ago, voted that the chairman "appoint a committee of three to consider what measures the Association may take to rid baseball of its objectionable features."

The committee made it plain that nothing was to be done with the difficult question of eligibility, nor with summer ball in its relation to amateur sport. It was concerned with what is appropriate and desirable in the conduct of the game itself, in order that the manners of officials, players, and spectators may be uniformly those of gentlemen, where the highest ideals of fairness and sportsmanship shall be maintained, as is so admirably done in intercollegiate tennis. The report of this committee of which Louis Bevier, Jr., was the chairman, follows in part:

We do not think that anything should be recommended which would diminish the virility of the game, or lessen the scope of individual skill, or of clever team work, but we

earnestly contend that strategy must not deteriorate into trickery, and that the rules of the game must be observed, not only in letter but in spirit as well.

To this end your committee recommends:

First. The strict enforcement of rule 58 of the official Rule Book, which defines the coaching rules at first and third bases, explicitly providing that "the coacher shall be restricted to coaching the base runner only, and shall not address remarks except to the base runner, and then only in words of assistance and direction in running bases. He shall not by words or signs incite or try to incite the spectators to demonstrations, and shall not use language which will in any manner refer to or reflect upon a player of the opposite club, the umpire, or the spectator."

Second. The strict enforcement of rule 21, par. 1, which explicitly provides that "under no circumstances shall the umpire permit any person except the players and substitutes in uniform and the manager of the team entitled to its use to be seated on a bench." This rule places the professional coach or trainer among the spectators, where he should be during the actual progress of the game, and places the responsibility for the conduct of the play in the hands of the amateur players themselves.

Third. The strict enforcement by the umpire of the rules forbidding "blocking a runner," "prying a runner off the base," and the like, as unfair practice, and we appeal to student public opinion to condemn such trickery, making it impossible even should it elude the vigilance of the umpire. Such sharp practice is explicitly prohibited by the rules, and an attempt surreptitiously to transgress them is as unsportsmanlike as it would be for a tennis player, hoping to escape detection, to deliver his service from an unlawful position.

We recommend further that, in pursuance of the spirit of the rule, boards of athletic control and faculties of colleges and universities, banded together to promote a healthy growth and a wise control of student athletics, adopt and enforce the following specific regulations:



First. The catcher shall not, during actual play, speak at all to the batsman, except where occasion requires a *bona fide* word of caution, and in speaking to the pitcher he shall not use words reflecting, or calculated to reflect, upon the batsman or any member of the opposing team.

Second. No member of either team shall call or shout during the game to any member of the opposing team, except to caution him against some danger, nor behave in any indecorous or unseemly manner.

Third. There shall be no oral coaching from the bench.

Fourth. The so-called "encouragement of the pitcher" from the outfield shall be stopped, or at least minimized, since we believe that the shouting of remarks in endless iteration is not only disagreeable to the spectators, but is disconcerting rather than helpful to the pitcher. In general, it amounts merely to senseless noise, and is quite unworthy of college-bred men. Whatever "encouragement" or "support" the pitcher may need can be quietly given from the infield.

Fifth. The umpire shall warn any player violating any of these rules, and on a second offense shall exclude him from the game.

Sixth. That in general the attention of students be called to the importance of courtesy on the part of the home institution to the visiting team, a courtesy which will forbid such cheering, singing, or chatter as are designed at critical moments to "rattle" the visiting team.

A baseball game is a splendid contest of skill between two opposing nines, before an academic throng of spectators; it is not a contest between a visiting team and a local team assisted by a disorderly rabble. It is delightful when, as often happens, a fine play by the visiting team is as heartily applauded as a similar play by the home team.

To the end that these principles, if endorsed by this Association, be a real force and not a mere *brutum fulmen*.

The above report of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, is only another indi-

cation that clean athletics is the key note of twentieth century competition. On every hand we hear denounced the man caught in the act of cutting bases, or blocking along the base-line. What the public of to-day demands is fair play and may the best man win. The great athlete of to-day whose name the public loves to utter is the athlete who appreciates the fact that his opponent is no different than himself, that he is only one of a great family of athletes whose aim should be to give the stamp of true sportsmanship to every contest he enters.

### SILVER BAY BANQUET

The annual Silver Bay Banquet held every third year at Bates, under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A., will take place at Rand Hall, Friday evening, May 15, from six until eight o'clock. The table will be set for one hundred and fifty, as the Faculty ladies, members of the Y W. C. A., and delegates from Colby, Maine, Castine, Farmington and some of the larger preparatory schools are expected to be present.

Friday afternoon, May 8, a meeting of the Junior and Senior girls was held in the German room, to discuss plans for the formation of a new society. A committee of five, consisting of three Seniors and two Juniors, was appointed to draw up a constitution and to confer with the faculty. The meeting was largely and enthusiastically attended.

The Girls' Athletic Association held a meeting, Wednesday noon, May 6, and chose Frances Bryant, '15, as Volleyball Manager. Alice Cole, '16, is acting as Tennis Manager during the absence of Ruth Beane.

### POLITICS CLUB

The meeting of the Politics Club, Wednesday evening, took the form of a report of the delegates to the Intercollegiate Civic League Convention at New York and Washington. It is interesting to note that Earle A. Harding, '15, was elected as one of the five undergraduate members to serve on the executive committee of the Civic League. This is the first time Bates has had a representative on this board.



## Y. M. C. A.

Capt. Wood of the Salvation Army spoke at the Y. M. C. A. meeting May 6. He opened his remarks by saying that the Salvation Army was a take in and a money making affair. A take in because it took him in, and money making because it made self-supporting individuals out of those who have fallen. He then gave his experiences before he joined the Army and after, picturing his hopeless condition before he was picked up.

In speaking of his conversion Capt. Wood told how he was taken from the streets of Concord, N. H., one evening, by the Salvation Army and converted. For a number of years he was an evangelist, later joining the Army. received his first unaided appointment as an officer in Lewiston two years ago.

In closing Capt. Wood invited any of the college men who wished, to visit him, and he would gladly take them into various parts of the two cities

A collection was taken at the conclusion of the meeting for the benefit of the Army.

## THE MAINE STATE MEET

The dual meet between University of Maine and Bates was cancelled on account of rain. The meet will be held in Orono next year under the same arrangements as had been made for this year.

A grand rally will be held the night before the State Meet so that the cheering section will be sufficiently well trained to vie with the squads of the other colleges. The Bates Band will be out in full force to stir the men on to victory. The Bates men will keep together and occupy the section reserved for them on the bleachers.

There will be many visitors and students from other colleges on the Bates campus and this will be a good opportunity to display our courtesy and hospitality.

## SPOFFORD CLUB

Spoftford Club met at the usual hour in Libbey Forum, Thursday evening. Miss Durgan, '15, presented a poem on "The Styles," which was enthusiastically received. Miss Sanborn, '14, read a short sketch, and Mr. Hill, a poem. A short business meeting followed the program.

## Y. W. C. A.

The Y. W. C. A. held its weekly meeting in Rand Hall at the usual hour, Wednesday evening. The service was in charge of the Missionary Committee, and Rev. William R. Leslie, of the High Street Methodist Church was the speaker of the evening

## BOWDOIN-BATES JOINT CONCERT

All will be pleased to learn that the Joint Concert of the Bowdoin and Bates Musical Clubs will be given in the Lewiston City Hall next Monday night. This annual concert is always a very pleasant affair and the especial success of both the Bowdoin and Bates Clubs this year give promise of an unusually fine entertainment.

## BATES 8, FORT MCKINLEY 0

Bates shut out Fort McKinley last Wednesday, May 6th, at Fort McKinley, by the score of 8 to 0. Moore worked six innings in the box for Bates. During that time he allowed the soldiers only three scattered hits and did not allow a man to walk. Stinson pitched the last three innings and did not grant a single hit. On the other hand the Bates' batters hit Linehan's curves all over the field to the number of thirteen hits in all. Davis got three hits out of four times at the bat. Fuller and Moore each got a two-base hit, besides a single.

The score by innings:

Bates	0	0	0	1	2	0	4	1	x	—8
Ft. McKinley	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

The Maine Centrals (May 5th) and the U. of M. (May 9th) games were called off on account of rain.

## BATES 2D 7, M. C. I. 8

The fifth inning again proved the undoing of the second team last Friday at the A. A. Park in the game with Maine Central Institute. At the beginning of this unlucky inning Bates 2d team was leading 5 to 2, but by a combination of hits and errors M. C. I. scored six runs in this inning. Moulton was taken out of the box at this stage of the game and Winslow pitched the last four innings, shutting out the visitors completely.

Bates scored another run in the seventh inning on Davis' fine triple to right field and



Danahy's sacrifice fly, and the last run was secured in the ninth.

Long hits were the feature of the game. Each side got ten hits.

Score by innings:

Bates 2d	0	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	1—7
M. C. I.	2	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0—8

Hits off Damren 10 in 7 innings; off White 0 in 2 innings; off Moulton, 7 in 5 innings; off Winslow, 3 in 4 innings. Two-base hits—Maxim, Mills 2, Whitten, Danahy, Eldridge. Three-base hit—Davis. Struck out—By White 2, by Winslow 4. First base on balls—off White 2, off Damren 2, off Moulton 2, off Winslow 0. Stolen bases—McKechnie, Churchill, Damren, Davis, Boissoneau. Double play—Bacon and Witham. Umpire—Talbot.

#### BATES 2D 7, KENT'S HILL 6

The second team, helped out by members of the first team, defeated Kents Hill, last Saturday at Kent's Hill, 7 to 6. Lindquist pitched a fine game, fanning eleven men and walking no one. Each team had a bad inning in which five runs were scored, Kents Hill making a brave try for the game in the eighth.

The score by innings:

Bates 2d	0	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—7
Kents Hill	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0—6

Two-base hits—Coady. Struck out—by Lindquist 11, by Taylor 7, by Collins 3. First base on balls—Off Lindquist 0; off Taylor 0. Stolen bases—Baron 2, Foster, Scofield, White 2, R. Masterman, Collins, Bogart, Taylor. Left on bases—Bates Second 6, Kents Hill 5. Passed balls, Eldridge 3, R. Masterman. Umpire—Smith.

#### SENIORS' NOTICE

DO NOT FORGET YOUR CLASS DUES.

#### JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

At the meeting of the Society last Monday evening, a talk was given by Mr. Davis, '14, on the "Sardine Industry of Maine." Mr. Smith, '15, also read a paper.

#### ALUMNI NOTES

On Alumni Day, June 23, the historical address will be given by President Geo. C. Chase, Bates, '68, the poem by Thomas H. Stacy, D.D., '76, and the oration by Carroll L. Beedy, Esq., '03.

Delegates from Bates to the New England College Conference upon Athletics, to be held in Boston on May 22d, are Richard B. Stanley, Esq., '97, and Professor F. E. Pomeroy, '99.

1868—President George C. Chase attended the Conference on Universities and Public Service, in New York City, May 12 and 13, under the auspices of the American Political Science Association

1882—Frank Leroy Blanchard, editor *The Editor and Publisher*, New York, is to deliver an address on "Community Service" before a Conference of Kansas Journalists to be held at the University of Kansas, at Lawrence, May 11, 12, 13, and 14. The following week he will be one of the speakers at the fifth annual "Journalism Week" at the University of Missouri. Mr. Blanchard will deliver a lay sermon on "Personal Service, the Keynote of a Noble Life" at the Sherbourne Street Methodist Church, Toronto, on Sunday, June 20, preceeding the opening of the annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America, the largest and most influential advertising organization in the world.

1885—Dr. W. V. Whitmore, who is one of the most conservative Republicans in Arizona, has just been appointed a member of the Board of Regents of the University of Arizona by the ultra-radical Democratic Governor, George W. P. Hunt.

1886—Edgar D. Varney is Supervising-Principal of the Schools of Milford, Del.

1888—Wm. L. Powers, principal of the Washington State Normal School at Machias, Maine, addressed the County Teachers' Convention at Vergennes, Vt., May 1. The subjects of his discourses were: "Training for Efficiency" and "The Dull Boy."

1896—Augustus P. Norton is connected with the Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.

1903—Mr. and Mrs. Carroll L. Beedy have returned from their wedding trip and taken apartments at the Falmouth Hotel, Portland.



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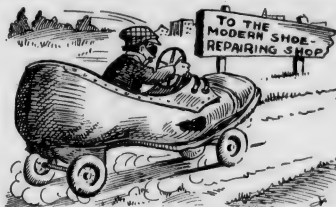
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, MAY 21

7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.

### FRIDAY, MAY 22

4.30 P.M. Bates vs. Tufts at Lewiston.

Press Club.

7.30 P.M. Men's Literary Societies.

### SATURDAY, MAY 23

Bates vs. N. H. State at Durham.

### MONDAY, MAY 25

1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.

4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.

6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current Events Club.

7.30 P.M. Jordan Scientific Society.

### TUESDAY, MAY 26

6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Clubs.

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 27

Bates vs. N. H. State at Lewiston.

6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. "German University Life," Dr. A. M. Leonard.

6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

7.30 P.M. Politics Club.

2. The Arbitrator *Taubert*

Bates Mandolin Club

3. Vocal Solo *Mr. Hadley, '14*

4. Rosalie (chansonette) *DeKoven*

Bowdoin Glee Club

5. Reading *Selected*

Mr. Hinton, Bates

6. Quartet, Bates.

7. March Militaire *Boehm*

Bowdoin Mandolin Club

## PART II.

1. Alma Mater *Davis, '12*

Words by Blake, '12

Bates Glee and Mandolin Clubs

2. Solo *Selected*

Mr. West, Bowdoin

3. Winter Song *Bullard*

Bates Glee Club

4. Reading *Selected*

Mr. Ramsay, Bowdoin

5. Dance of the Moths *Weidt*

Bates Mandolin Club

6. De Coppah Moon *Shelley*

Bowdoin Glee Club

7. "Old Heidelberg Song"

(From the Prince of Pilsen)

Combined Clubs

## BATES-BOWDOIN CONCERT

Last Monday night a most pleasing concert was given by the combined Bowdoin and Bates Musical Clubs in the Lewiston City Hall. The whole program was unusually well selected and rendered thruout and it would be difficult to select numbers for special commendation so great was the excellence of all.

After the program the younger people stayed to enjoy the dance. Music was furnished by the Ariel Orchestra.

The program was as follows:

### PART I.

(a) Rise, Sons of Bowdoin *Burnett*

(Words by Sills, '01)

(b) We'll Sing to Old Bowdoin

(Words by Fogg, '02)

Bowdoin Glee and Mandolin Clubs

## ALL ALUMNI ATTENTION

This year marks our Semi-Centennial. At the Commencement a new feature is to be introduced, not only as a special feature of this Celebration, but with the thought of making it a permanent feature, if it seems best, of Bates Commencements. This new feature is a program of general merrymaking by the different classes of the Alumni such as is carried on at many of our larger colleges.

This Commencement of all Commencements should belong to the Alumni. They should make a supreme effort to be back in full numbers. It should be the GRAND RE-UNION OF ALL THE CLASSES. Tuesday, June 23d, is Alumni Day. In the forenoon there is to be a program of athletic events by the Alumni on Garcelon Field. In



connection with this the "College Circus" is to be held. This is to be an historico-humorous parade of the classes about the field, with "stunts" by the different classes following. Historical incidents associated with the development of Bates, illustrated soberly or unsoberly; "things you did," wise or otherwise, will all be eligible to place in parade. Class statistics, mention of members who have won honored places, etc., etc., may well be carried on large cards or any other way. Class banners of olden days, trophies, etc., should be there.

After the "parade" the classes will each present for the edification of the grandstand whatever they have prepared. Burlesques on present national or international matters, or local matters, which lend themselves to humorous treatment, clowns, merry-makers, etc., suggest the idea in the minds of the Committee. The class furnishing the best get-up to win the "prize."

We ask ALL GRADUATES to take up this matter AT ONCE in their respective classes. We have only one month. There is no time to lose. Everybody get busy. Write two or three "leaders" of your class to-day. *Get it started.* And bring your class out on top.

1913, 1911, 1909, 1904, '99, '94, '89, '84, '79, '74, '69, are by virtue of their years the leaders. Let all be there, literally and figuratively.

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*Associate Committee.*

#### MAY DAY FESTIVAL

Monday afternoon many friends of the Bates girls gathered on Mt. David to enjoy their annual May Day festival. At three o'clock the girls, gaily clad in white and decked with flowers, appeared around the foot of the mountain, the Juniors leading the procession followed by the Sophomores and the Freshmen. After a fancy march the girls

formed in two long lines on either side of the May pole and there awaited the approval of the May Queen, Louise Dunham, '14, and her maid of honor, Mildred Bassett, '15, in their chariot. This was the striking feature of the afternoon. When the chariot, made up of Senior girls, drawn by six little boys as hobby horses, passed between the rows of girls who were singing and tossing flowers at the queen. She then mounted the flower throne on the side of the mountain where Dean Buswell crowned her Queen of the May. Then followed the program which consisted of dancing by the girls in the four classes and concluded with the winding of the May Pole by the Freshmen.

#### SILVER BAY BANQUET

Friday evening, May 15, the annual Silver Bay Banquet was held at Rand Hall under the auspices of the Young Women's Christian Association. About one hundred and ten guests were present and after the banquet, the following toasts were enjoyed:

"Welcome," Esther Wadsworth, '15.

"What Silver Bay Means to the College Girls," Colby College.

"Good Times at Silver Bay," Helen Humiston, '14.

"Silver Bay and the Preparatory School Girl," Maine Central Institute.

"Memories of Silver Bay," Edna Pierce, '14.

"The Benefits We Derive from Silver Bay," University of Maine; "The Association Girl," Dean Buswell. The out-of-town delegates to this meeting were: Misses Hanson, Chamebrlain, French, Pratt, Moses, and Dudley from Colby College; Misses Winship, Greenleaf, and Plummer from the University of Maine; Miss Rummil from Maine Central Institute; Miss Whitney from Ricker Classical Institute; Misses Gratin from Parsosnfield Seminary, and Misses Manter and Day from Farmington Normal School.

This banquet aroused much enthusiasm for the Silver Bay Convention to be held in June, and it is hoped that several delegates will be able to go. The next banquet will be held at the University of Maine.



## INTERCLASS TRACK MEET

The class of 1915 won the inter-class track meet by capturing 44 points. The Seniors were a close second with 42 points, the Freshmen were next with 40, and the Sophomores lost with 23. Captain Nevers was the individual point-winner winning three first places.

The summary:

	1914	1915	1916	1917
High Hurdles	5		2	3
100-Yard Dash	5	5		1
High Jumps	5	2	1	3
Shot Put		3		7
One Mile	3		5	3
440-Yard Dash	5	3		3
Pole Vault		10		
220-Yard Hurdles	5		5	
220-Yard Dash	6	5		
880-Yard Dash	5	3	2	1
Broad Jump		6	3	2
Two Mile	3		5	2
Discus		5		6
Hammer Throw		2		9
Totals	42	44	23	40

## BATES 6, U. OF M. 5

Bates won her second championship game, Wednesday, May 13th, at Orono, by defeating the University of Maine team, 6 to 5. Butler was the star of the game, getting two three-base hits and a double out of four times at the bat.

Maine used three pitchers, while Stinson pitched the whole game for Bates. Driscoll of Maine was driven from the box at the beginning of the fifth inning.

The sharp fielding of Captain Coady, MacDonald and Fuller was a feature of the game. Hackett of Maine saved a hit in the eighth inning by a fine one-handed catch.

The score by innings:

Bates	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	1	0—6
Maine	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	0—5

Two-base hits—Butler, Moore. Three-base hits—Butler 2. Hits off Driscoll, 3 in 5 innings; off Fox, 1 in 2 innings; off Welch, 2 in 2 innings. Stolen bases—Coady, Mangin. Struck out—by Stinson 3, by Buswell 4, by Fox 3, by Welch 1. Umpire—Poehler.

## BATES 5, U. OF M. 3

Bates won her third championship game at Lewiston, Friday, May 15th, by again defeating Maine. Lindquist was the real hero of the game for Bates. He pitched the entire nine innings, got two clean hits, one of which brought in a score, and fielded his position in a wonderful manner.

Bates secured two runs in the first inning when Coady, MacDonald, and Fuller, the first three batters, hit safely. After Lindquist had batted in another run in the third inning, Fox was replaced by Driscoll. One more run was added in this inning when Coady singled to center, bringing in Davis who was on second. The last run came in the seventh when Moore hit a two-bagger scoring Talbot, who was on second.

Lawry played a star game for Maine. He stole second three times, got three safe hits and scored Maine's three runs.

The line-up was the same for both teams as that of Wednesday's game, except that Lindquist pitched instead of Stinson.

Score by innings:										R	BH	E
Bates	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	x—5	9	5	
Maine	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0—3	7	3	

Hits off Fox 6 in 2 2-3 innings, off Driscoll 3 in 5 1-3 innings. Two-base hit—Moore. Struck out—by Lindquist 5, by Fox 4, by Driscoll 4. First base on balls off Fox 3, off Driscoll 1. First base on errors—Bates 2, Maine 4. Stolen bases—Lawry 3, Coady, Butler. Double plays—Lindquist to Talbot to P. Cobb; Chase and Baker. Umpire—Carrigan.

## THE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Percentage
Bates	3	0	1,000
Colby	2	1	667
Bowdoin	1	1	500
Maine	0	4	000

## UNION MEETING

This week there was a union meeting of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. at Libby Forum. Speaker, Mr. Leiper of Amherst in the interests of the Student Volunteer Movement.



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In another column we again print the article on the "Call to the Alumni," because we feel that it is an important thing that all the Alumni should know that something more than usual is being planned for this commencement. Already the class of 1912 has responded and we give their plans in another column. Let us hear from you. Here is an opportunity to help Bates along, and to make this commencement the one long to be remembered. Our college has its fiftieth birthday, should we not observe it in a fitting manner? Who is it that should take part in this memorable occasion? It is her sons and daughters, you and I as the graduates and undergraduates of the institution. Read the "Call" and be ready with your plans for the next issue of the STUDENT.

## Y. M. C. A.

At the Y. M. C. A. last Wednesday evening occurred the second of the Special Spring Lectures, in Libbey Forum. Rev. C. H. Tem-

ple took for his subject Winston Churchill's novel, "The Inside of the Cup." After telling the story in a brief, interesting way he summed up Churchill's idea of religion. He said Churchill tried to emphasize the difference between Christianity and "churchianity," to call attention to the fact that many churches are under the control of wealth and are definitely opposed to the vital messages of the Gospel. Mr. Temple then spoke a few moments on the question of whether the broadening of the Christian message would really draw people into the church in the way Churchill believed it would. He said the Universalist and Unitarian churches began with that very message, but neither had made the progress that many other churches with more narrow creeds had, in attendance, membership or social or missionary activity. Christianity is not Churchianity, nor yet is it sociology.

## ALUMNI DAY

Plans are now being made for Alumni Day, Tuesday, June 23d. The general plan for this celebration in connection with our semi-centennial was printed in the call issued by the Associate Committee in the STUDENT for May 7. Here is an outline of the plans that the class of 1912 has made.

A special committee was appointed from the class of 1912 and they have made the plans. This week a circular letter was sent to each member of the class giving the details of the plan.

The first thing on the program for Alumni Day is a class picnic breakfast at some place near the campus. This picnic is to be a class reunion and all members are expected to be present.

Special arrangements have been made to provide costumes to be worn at the "College Circus" on Garcelon Field on Tuesday forenoon. Both the men and women will be dressed entirely in white. A band composed of the men of 1912 who played in the college band will lead the class in the parade. A special class souvenir has been provided.

A room in Parker Hall has been secured to serve as a headquarters and a lounging room for the men of the class and a similar



arrangement for the ladies has been made in one of the girls' dormitories.

Tuesday night, after the illumination of the campus, the men of the class will gather in one of the hotels of the city and will close the day with a "Stag Party."

#### BATES 2D 6, GARDINER HIGH 1

The second team defeated Gardiner High, Wednesday, May 12th, at Lewiston, by the score of 6 to 1. Winslow pitched a fine game for Bates Second. Timely bunching of hits was responsible for most of the runs.

Bates second: Boisoneau, ss.; Witham, 1b.; Danahy, 1.f.; Rawson, 2b.; Eldridge, c.; Phelan, 3b.; Dyer, c.f.; Moulton, r.f.; Tabor, r.f.; Winslow, p.; Gardiner High: Brisk, 1.f.; O'Brien, 2b.; P. Talbot, ss.; McFarlane, c.; J. Talbot, c.; Pheineau, c.; Dickey, 1b.; P. Brisk, r.f., p.; Cusick, r.f.; Littlefield, c.f.; Leigh, p.

The score by innings:

Bates 2d	1	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	x—6
Gardiner	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—1

#### TRACK MEET

The Maine Intercollegiate Meet, held this year in Lewiston, resulted in victory for Maine with 54 points. Colby claims second place with 37 points, while Bowdoin and Bates must accept third and fourth with a score 21½ and 13½ respectively.

Conditions were favorable to make the meet the greatest financial success the M. I. C. A. A. has ever known. Capt. Nevers had the support of the whole college. He is to be congratulated on the work he did, winning nearly half the points scored for Bates.

Rice, Preti, and Bailey, of Maine, established the only new records.

The attendance was exceptionally good. Maine invaded Lewiston with a band of 600, Colby was represented by about 150, and Bowdoin was strong with 200.

The summary:

100-Yard Dash—First trial heat. Won by Nevers, Bates; Lord, Colby, second; Everett, Colby, third. Time, 10 1-5 seconds.

Second Trial Heat—Won by Rice, Maine; Small, Bates, second; Lowney, Colby, third. Time, 10 1-5 seconds.

Final—Won by Rice of Maine; Nevers of Bates second; Small of Bates, third. Time, 10 seconds.

220-Yard Dash—First trial heat. Won by Nevers, Bates; Smith, Bowdoin, second; Everett, Colby, third. Time, 22 seconds.

Second Trial Heat—Won by Rice, Maine; Small, Bates, second; Lowney, Colby, third. Time, 21 4 5-seconds. New record.

Final—Won by Rice of Maine; Nevers of Bates, second; Small of Bates, third. Time, 22 seconds.

440 Yard Dash—First trial heat. Won by Merrill, Colby; McWilliams, Bowdoin, second; McCobb, Maine, third. Time 53 2-5 seconds.

Second Trial Heat—Won by Waldron, Colby; Bowen, Colby, second; St. Onge, Maine, third. Time, 52 seconds.

Final—Won by Waldron of Colby; Bowen of Colby, second; McWilliams of Bowdoin, third. Time, 53 seconds.

880-Yard Run—Won by Bell of Maine; Reynolds of Colby, second; Sayward of Bowdoin, third. Time, 2 minutes.

Mile Run—Won by Towner, Maine; Golden, Colby, second; Thompson, Colby, third. Time, 9 min. 54 2-5 seconds. New record.

Two-Mile Run—Won by Preti of Maine; Wenz of Colby, second; Golden of Colby, third. Time, 9 min. 54 2-5 seconds. New record.

120-Yard Hurdles—First trial heat. Won by Royal, Colby; second, Morse, Maine; third, Nickerson, Bowdoin. Time—16 1-5.

Second Trial Heat—Won by French, Maine; Fuller, Bowdoin, second; Dunn, Colby, third. Time, 16 3-5.

Third Trial Heat—Won by Tomblen, Bates; Doyle, Colby, second; Donahue, Bowdoin, third. Time, 16 1-5 seconds.

Semi-Final Heat, for second place men—Won by Morse, Maine; Fuller, Bowdoin, second. Time, 17 seconds.



Final—Won by Royal of Colby; French of Maine, second; Morse of Maine, third. Time, 16 2-5 seconds.

220-Yard Hurdles—First trial heat. Won by Royal, Colby; Morrison, Bowdoin, second; Benvie, Bates, third. Time, 27 seconds.

Second Trial Heat—Won by French, Maine; Tomblen, Bates, second; Floyd, Bowdoin, third. Time, 27 seconds.

Third Trial Heat—Won by Doyle, Colby; Peterson, Bates, second. Time, 27 seconds.

Semi-Final Heat—Won by Tomblen, Bates; Morrison, Bowdoin, second. Time, 27 2-5 seconds.

Running High Jump—Wood of Colby and Palmer of Maine tied for first, height 5 feet 7 inches. Wood of Bowdoin and Drake of Bates tied for third, height 5 feet 6 inches. Palmer in jump off for medal did 5 feet 8 inches.

Running Broad Jump—Won by French of Maine, distance 21 feet 9½ inches; Skolfield, Maine, second, distance 21 feet 6½ inches. Pierce of Maine, third, distance 20 feet, 10 5-8 inches.

Pole Vault—Won by McKenney of Bowdoin, height 10 feet, 10 inches; Samson of Bowdoin and Mayers of Colby tied for second, at 10 feet, 8 inches.

Discus Throw—Won by Lewis of Bowdoin, distance 119.8 feet; Bailey, Maine, second, 119.7 feet; Leadbetter, Bowdoin, third, 112.6 feet.

Hammer Throw—Won by Bailey of Maine, 161 feet, seven-eighths of an inch. New record. Leadbetter of Bowdoin, second, 143 feet, one inch; Murchie of Colby, third, distance 135 feet five inches.

Shot Put—Won by Cobb of Bates. Distance 40.17 feet; Leadbetter of Bowdoin, second, 37.07 feet; Ruffner of Maine, third, 37.05.

#### POINT SUMMARY

	M.	C.	Bo.	Ba.
100 Yd. Dash.....	5	—	—	4
220 Yd. Dash .....	5	—	—	4
440 Yd. Dash .....	—	8	1	—
880 Yd. Run .....	5	3	1	—
Mile Run .....	5	4	—	—

Two Mile Run .....	5	4	—	—
120 Yd. Hurdles .....	4	5	—	—
220 Yd. Hurdles.....	3	6	—	—
Broad Jump .....	9	—	—	—
High Jump .....	4	4	½	½
Pole Vault .....	—	2	7	—
Hammer Throw .....	5	1	3	—
Discus Throw .....	3	—	6	—
Shot Put .....	1	—	3	5
Totals .....	54	37	21½	13½

The following handled the meet:

Clerk of Course—B. B. Osthues, Boston.

#### TRACK EVENTS

Referee—George V. Brown, B. A. A., Boston.

Judges at Finish—A. J. Jones, Orono; H. A. Allan, Augusta; Dr. Archer Jordan, Auburn.

Timers—F. N. Whittier, Brunswick; G. F. Parmenter, Waterville; E. R. Winguard, Orono.

Starter—Arthur Duffey, Boston.

Scorer—H. P. Adams, Maine.

#### FIELD EVENTS

Measurers—R. D. Purinton, Lewiston; J. E. Kulfess, Orono; A. S. McCready, Portland; George Taylor Railey, Lewiston; H. C. Bell, Brunswick; C. W. Atchley, Waterville.

Judges—Paul Nixon, Brunswick; John L. Reade, Lewiston; W. G. Chapman, Jr., Portland, P. L. Bean, Orono; H. H. Britan, Lewiston.

Scorers—Seth Howes, Colby; A. S. Cole, Bowdoin.

Announcer—L. R. Sullivan, Bates.

Inspectors—R. L. Ervin, Waterville; F. D. Nardini, Concord, N. H.; R. Green, K. J. Moore, Bates.

#### ALUMNI NOTES

1880—Charles Hill DeShon has been a grammar school principal in Buffalo, N. Y., since 1880. He has been at the Rother Avenue School since 1897.

1881—Judge Fremont Wood is President of the Idaho State Bar Association.

1884—The following is a quotation from a letter recently received from the chairman of the Commencement Committee of North Dakota Agricultural College: "One of the significant features in connection with the coming Twentieth Annual Commencement of North



Dakota Agricultural College (May 30 to June 2, 1914), will be the presentation of Aaron McGaffey Beede's great Indian drama—'Sitting Bull—Custer.' The play will be staged on the college campus, just west of the library, Monday, June 1, at sunset. No pains will be spared to make the production both spectacular and instructive. Indian costumes and relics will be imported from New York, Washington, D. C., Cincinnati, Chicago, Minneapolis, and regions in North and South Dakota and Montana. Over one hundred people will be used in the final production. Forty youngsters under eight years of age, dressed in Indian garb will hand out programs. A forty-piece band will give a concert of Indian music for half an hour before the play begins. Twelve students in Indian costumes, mounted on Indian ponies, will participate in the historic battle. The seating arrangement will be in amphitheatre style and will be sufficient to accommodate from 3,000 to 5,000 people."

Mr. Beede is a graduate of Bates in the class of 1884. He is an Episcopal minister, and for thirty years has lived and worked among the Indians. In his drama, he tells the story of the Custer massacre from the Indian standpoint.

1897—James Archibald Marr is a practising attorney in Bridgeport, Conn.

1897—Walter Perley Vining is a lawyer in New York City. His office is at 51 Chambers Street.

1906—Elizabeth C. Spooner, who has been clerk in the office of the State Water Storage Commission, Augusta, Maine, has moved with her mother to Wilkesburg, Pa., where they will make their home with Thomas Spooner, 1905, who is an electrical engineer in the Westinghouse Electrical and Manufacturing Co. of Pittsburg.

1906—The marriage of Miss Della M. Stevens and Arthur F. French, Bates, '06, took place May 6 in Auburn. The couple will go on a short wedding trip and on their return will live at 35 Winter Street, Auburn. Mr. French is secretary for the Ideal Desk Extension Company.

1907—Bryant W. Griffin, Bates '07, was married on April 2 to Miss Maurine Bruch. They are at home at the Mountain School, Allaben, N. Y., where Mr. Griffin is a very successful instructor.

1910—Ruby M. Parsons is teaching in the high school at Stowe, Mass.

The engagement of Miss Lillian Rowe of Lewiston to Clarence P. Quinby, 1910, has recently been announced. The wedding will take place in the summer.

1911—Rev. Roger S. Guptill, who at present is located at Berwick, Maine, will sail for West Central Africa, May 19. Mr. Guptill leaves for the mission field well fitted for his work.

Mr. Harold Robertson, now representing the Ginn Book Company, is at present located in Winchester, Ky.

1912—Belle Twombly is teaching in Townsend, Mass.

Angie Smith is the science teacher in the Derby, Conn., High School.

Harry H. Lowry is studying at Brown University, taking courses in History and Government. His work includes teaching History in a local high school.

Jesse J. Lamorey works for the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company, in Manchester, N. H.

Albert E. Jennings is assistant in the department of Chemistry at Princeton.

Bessie Hart teaches Latin in the Horace Mann High School at Franklin, Mass.

The marriage of Mary E. Holmes to Joseph Linehan of Auburn will occur June 24.

1912—Miss Abigail Kincaid, a Portland High School graduate, has recently been granted the honorary degree of Sigma Xi at Cornell. This is an honor in the scientific world and corresponds to the classical degree of Phi Beta Kappa. Miss Kincaid graduated from Portland High in the class of 1908 and from Bates College in 1912.

1913—William F. Slade has been awarded a University Scholarship at Harvard for next year.

May 6 occurred the wedding of Miss Marguerite McCarron, of Lewiston, to Francis S. Jecusco, Bates, 1913. Mr. and Mrs. Jecusco will live in Bath, where Mr. Jecusco is employed as timekeeper for the New England Telephone Co.



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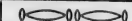
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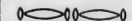
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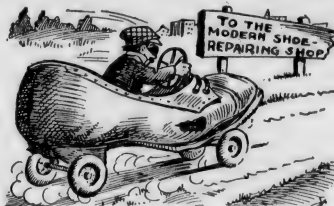
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## CALENDAR

- THURSDAY, MAY 28  
7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.
- FRIDAY, MAY 29  
4.30 P.M. Press Club.  
7.30 P.M. Men's Literary Societies.
- SATURDAY, MAY 30  
P.M. Bates vs. Bowdoin at Lewiston.
- MONDAY, JUNE 1  
1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Freshman Current Events Clubs.
- TUESDAY, JUNE 2  
Bates Interscholastic Tennis Tournament at Lewiston.  
6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Club.
- WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3  
Interscholastic Tennis Tournament, Finals.  
6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Open Discussion Meeting.  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

## Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Lieper of New York, representing the Student Volunteer Movement, spoke at the Y. M. C. A., Tuesday evening, May 19. He did not give a formal address, but, in a very unique way, rehearsed the careers of several former students of our colleges who became missionaries in various places; particularly China, India and Russia. The men to whom he referred did not become preachers merely, but college teachers, Y. M. C. A. secretaries, engineers and even acknowledged officials with high positions. He called special attention to the great missionary text, "Here am I, send me," saying that many were more willing to say, "Here am I, send *him*." Without doubt all present were convinced of the magnificent opportunities that the foreign missionary field offers industrious, upright men and women.

## Y. W. C. A.

This week, the Y. W. C. A. held a Silver Bay "Meeting" under the leadership of several girls who have been to Silver Bay Conventions. Letters from Misses Purington and Rideout, Bates 1912, were read and mandolin music was enjoyed.

## JUNIOR EXHIBITION SPEAKERS

The speakers for the Junior Exhibition have been chosen as follows: Messrs. Carey, Greenan, Jordan, J. L. Moulton, Saxton, Stephanis and the Misses Chapman, Jewell, Nevens, Perry, Walsh, and Wood.

Junior Exhibition will be held this year June 10, instead of commencement week as in the past.

## SPOFFORD CLUB

Spofford Club met at 7.15 Thursday evening, in Libbey Forum. Mr. Kennedy, '16, read an interesting short story, and Mr. Hill, '14, presented a poem.

## SQUEAKER PREFERRED

Room VI. of the Hampden Terrace Grammar School was in a state of poorly suppressed excitement. Miss Atwood, wholly ignorant of its cause and of what the evening was to bring forth, tried in vain to check the seething undercurrent of feeling; while thirty-eight boys and girls, proud in their possession of the great secret, tried equally hard to quell excited heads and hearts. For was not that evening to witness the hanging of the wonderful basket with its array of bright pink roses, its long, fluttering streamers, and its beautifully varied contents? Was it not at that moment reposing at Squeaker Spaulding's house? And was not every member of the class to be present and personally to assist in the process of hanging it at Miss Atwood's door?

The afternoon class in reading had been a complete failure. Spud Wilson had lost his place twice and then had terri-



fied the entire class by sputtering "b-ba-bas-  
ket" after the auxiliary "may." The language  
class gave promise of no more satisfactory re-  
sults. Very slowly one by one the incom-  
pleted sentences were rendered complete and  
the hateful blanks filled in with nouns, com-  
mon and proper. With eyes that saw nothing  
of the page before him, Squeaker Spauld-  
ing sat gazing at the Beautiful One in the  
third seat of the fifth row as she studied the  
red language book attentively. From far  
away came Miss Atwood's musical voice,  
"Insert common nouns in the following."  
Henry, you may read the first."

Squeaker almost jumped from his seat.  
With one frantic glance he found the place,  
and then furiously searched his sluggish mem-  
ory. "John gave some—— to his sister."  
Proper nouns, descriptive adjectives, and  
verbs of motion—all chased themselves along  
in Squeaker's brain; but no common noun  
came. "John gave some ——to his sister."  
In vain he scoured his wandering mind as  
he gazed despairingly at Miss Atwood.

"John, you may read us the first sentence  
Beany Miller, the only boy of "the gang"  
for whom Squeaker had ever borne antipathy  
for more than three consecutive moments,  
arose. He glanced triumphantly toward the  
vanquished Squeaker. "John gave some  
*violets* to his sister," he proudly read.

With a burning face, Squeaker took his  
seat and gazed disconsolately toward the  
third seat of the fifth row. And then his  
face burned even hotter for he fancied that  
he saw there a smile of commendation for  
Beany—Beany who had said "*violets*."  
Squeaker clutched the battered language book  
fiercely. Why hadn't he thought of the old  
*violets* anyhow? Then suddenly his face  
beamed. He sat very erect and glanced even  
happily at the averted face of the Beautiful  
One. His newly-found joy expressed itself in  
the skillful throwing of three well-moist-  
ened spitballs, straight at Beany's left ear.  
One so ably accomplished the mission of its  
sender that Squeaker wisely resolved to give

his undivided attention to the map of Aus-  
tralia before him. But even as he endeavor-  
ed to appreciate the undeveloped resources of  
that land, and to remember that it exported  
minerals and imported canned goods, he found  
himself writing on the margin of his book  
V-I-O-L-E-T-S, and again M-A-D-G-E.

The last gong had sounded and the long,  
eager, wriggling lines had left the building.  
With a whoop, Squeaker sought the girls' exit  
—and the Beautiful One. Just as he came  
hurrying toward her he saw Beany leave her  
side. Squeaker straightened perceptibly as he  
fell in beside her. "Goin' to-night?" he asked  
by way of introduction.

"Every lady is," averred the Beautiful  
One.

Squeaker kicked his square toe hard  
against the edge of the board walk. "Any-  
body as't yer?" The tone was his best off-  
hand production, but his face was burning red.

"Beany did." The Beautiful One carefully  
examined her upper coat button.

Squeaker turned square around. "Yer  
ain't a goin' ter let that guy of a Beany go  
with yer, are yer?" His voice trembled with  
indignation and excitement; but the Beautiful  
One was silent. A fearful thumping just be-  
neath his red sweater seized Squeaker. He  
leaned closer. "Say, that Beany is a kind of  
a mutt, ain't he?"

In an agony of appeal he waited. Then,  
"Maybe, Squeaker," came the low voice.

The reaction was too great. Squeaker  
jumped up and twice hit his heels together in  
sheer relief. Then he shot away from her.  
"I got an errand to do," he shouted back.  
"We're all a-goin' to meet down to the corner  
by your house at eight." And he was gone.

With happily buzzing heart, Squeaker ran  
down Angel Avenue, across the open field,  
down Barton Hill to the river where safely  
anchored and hidden in the marsh grass lay  
the Gang's man-of-war, the patched and  
leaky scow, "Pirate Belle." And as he  
loosed her from her moorings, as he slowly  
paddled the clumsy craft around the bend out  
into the stream and at last into the peaceful  
port of Pirate's Cove at Dead Man's Island,  
and then as he looked at all the island's old  
familiar haunts,—his heart kept pace with his



whistling lips. For the fates were kind, the omens propitious—Beany was not preferred.

Squeaker straightened up from his task and rubbed his wet and dirty hands together. The mill whistles across the river were blowing. That meant that it was nearly supper-time. The soft, spring earth was springy beneath his feet, and reluctantly he started toward the Pirate Belle. Then a sudden idea came to him. He would climb Look-out tree and then he would go back,

From his post in an out-hanging branch of the old, scraggly apple tree, Squeaker looked down upon the island and river beneath him. Gold River, Skipper's Reef, Black Man's Cove—all lay beneath him as attractive as they had seemed to him on that first day when he had been initiated to their glory and had won his title—Squeaker. He picked up a lonely and soft apple and with careful aim struck the Pirate Belle straight amidship. He picked up another and leaned far out on the limb as he hurled it at one of the most distant boulders of Skipper's Reef.

Then he started to crawl back the limb and climb down—he could not move. He started backwards again—he seemed held by some strange power. He struggled harder, but he simply could not move. He seemed fastened to the limb above. With great difficulty he managed to turn his head sufficiently to learn the cause. As he had leaned far out to hurl the apple—his sweater had in some way become caught on the branch directly above. His efforts to free himself had only fastened the sweater more securely to its sharp and sturdy peg. Squeaker turned, twisted and wriggled, but the sweater was strong and firm and the rough, scraggly branch held him fast—a *captive*. At last the full solemnity of it all dawned upon him. Far out of range of sight and sound, he might be forced to remain there for hours. He tugged fiercely at his miserable sweater as his glance rested on the Pirate Belle riding gently at anchor. He struggled more and more furiously as the unwelcome truth sank deeper into his conscious-

ness. He was a prisoner! Who would take the Beautiful One to the Maybasket hanging? Who would carry the wonderful basket itself? Who would be the one to ring the bell—the last to run away? Would it be *Beany*? Squeaker beat his fists against the gnarled old tree in impotent rage. It was rapidly growing dusk. Soon the crowd would be getting together! "I'll bust his face if he *does* take her," muttered Squeaker to Dead Man's Island.

Then suddenly he gave a shriek of wild delight, followed by a more systematic series of loud shouts. For straight across the cove he saw the boat of the night-watchman as he was rowing across to the mills. Freedom lay just ahead.

With eager step Squeaker rushed from the life boat up the river bank, along Angel Avenue, and up to Willow Lane where the crowd had already gathered. As he drew nearer he took care to walk noiselessly and then, quickly hiding behind a tree just back of the group, he proceeded to take notes. They were all there—Spud, Skinny, Spider and all the rest. Beany held the wonderful basket and was speaking to the Beautiful One who stood a little at one side.

"He ain't a comin', I tell yer. He's—"

With a single leap Squeaker stood by the side of the Beautiful One. In another instant he had passed her a large, wilted bunch of violets, and had seized the basket from Beany's limp fingers. The procession started to move. Straight to the head of the lines with the Beautiful One by his side and the gorgeous basket in his hands, Squeaker marched. Teacher's surprise, the long evening of pleasure, the walk home—all lay ahead. He leaned a little closer toward the Beautiful One. "Did yer think I wasn't a-comin'?"

The Beautiful One looked straight into Squeaker's anxious eyes. "Oh! no! I told Beany you'd just gone an errand."

A wild ecstasy broke loose beneath the red sweater; but Squeaker only marched a little stiffer and held the gorgeous basket a little higher, lest the floating streamers touch the ground, as he smiled into the May dusk. For the Fates were still kind and Beany was not preferred.



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The Y. M. C. A. during the past year has carried out a very successful program in the various departments of its work. At the present time nearly every man in college is connected with some phase of the work. For the benefit of a few men who have not availed themselves of the many valuable opportunities offered by the Association, the campus service committee has decided to give over June 1st as membership day. On that date each man of the college who is not a member, at that time will have the opportunity to become affiliated in this important branch of our college life.

What the Association plans to do another year is to increase the efficiency of every department, and in order to do this it must have the combined efforts of all the men in the institution. If you are not a member of the Y. M. C. A., think the proposition over and resolve to become a member next Monday.

## CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION WORK WITH THE YOUNG MEN OF PEKING

A Peking merchant recently requested the Association here to open a day school, and with the request sent a gift for maintenance. On the opening day all that could be accommodated reported to take the entrance examination, and the school is now in full progress. I wish that you might see this and the night school in actual operation. The high standard of the night school has attracted a large number of municipal and government employees who must have English in their work.

Many students of high school and college grades have been led to help themselves by helping other people here in the city. The Social Service Club has now become a large and representative student organization. With one of the Association Secretaries as their adviser they have made some reliable surveys of social conditions, are now running schools for small boys in neglected districts, and providing volunteers to take charge of playgrounds. These leaders of athletics meet regularly with the Association Physical Director for training. Some of us foreigners enjoyed officiating at an indoor track-meet held in January by this class. While the Chinese fellows were learning more about the different events we were picking up the Chinese words for "one more trial," "up another inch," "foul," and so on. The Association is responsible for another movement which has united all the athletic interests of the Capital under the name of the "Peking Athletic Association." This organization, in addition to a gift of a thousand dollars from President Yuan, has been granted the use of a large section of the enclosure of the Temple of Heaven as an athletic field. So, at the same time that reactionaries have been emphasizing a return to the old rites at that place, the leading men of the Capital are carrying through, with liberal hand, a plan for the use of that ground by the young men of the city and province.

While the government has been performing the feat of providing for state religious rights without instituting a state religion, two



events have occurred here significant of the real religious point of view. One was the annual "devil dance" at a Buddhist temple. It was quite a spectacle, but it had no deeper grip on the crowd than a circus performance in America would have. The other event was the Confucian worship conducted by the "Confucian Society." This was an interesting ceremony but attracted very few people as spectators. An incidental mention of this ceremony before a student audience the following week brought a laugh which showed how slender a hold Confucianism has on the modern student mind.

The best weapon that the Association has in meeting this obvious religious need is the informal Bible-study groups. The practical efficiency of that department here is shown by an incident in connection with the day school. Before the day school had been running a fortnight almost every member of it had enrolled in a voluntary Bible-study class. Out of the Union Medical School there are only five men who are not teaching or studying in Bible classes.

I have had an interesting time in conducting a "Religious Discussion Club." It has been conducted in English, and able speakers have been very willing to help. There are forty-two members, and the twenty-two who were present at the last meeting asked to have the program extended two months beyond the original plan. These students are from the Customs College and the Government University. They are bright men, and we shall get practical results.

Most of the time now we are engaged in language study. There is a Union Language School here in which people under different missions are studying for work in different sections of North China. Living in a Chinese house built around a series of courts, with windows of paper, tile roofs and stone floors; with Chinese servants going in and out; with the cries of the Oriental street venders constantly in our ears; with a growing circle of Chinese friends; constrained by the ever present incentive to be able to speak enough Chinese to be of real service, we are enjoying our life in the truest sense of the word.

There was an interesting conference here recently for all North China secretaries, foreign and Chinese. Not only were there foreign secretaries in training for the language, but twelve Chinese college graduates in training in methods of work. Think what a multiplication of efficiency the finding and training of such men is.

The student work is especially important now because the thoughtful men in the colleges here are beginning to realize that true progress of the nation can be accelerated only by the growth of personal capacity among themselves. This leads them to a sense of responsibility and of need along many lines. The other day a bright, young Manchu, a non-Christian from an aristocratic family, who has been coming to the house as a teacher, surprised me by telling of his study of the New Testament and Christianity, and consulting me about joining the church. This is still the period of serious ambition for Young China. Next year a Dane, a French Swiss and I are assigned to the development of a new work in the West City with the idea of helping many such young men solve their problems.

But all of this deals with merely one phase of work. There are many other interesting lines, e. g., the medical work, the mission colleges, and so on. It is an inspiring fellowship to be in,—many types of men under different organizations, some of truly wonderful capacity, all with a common thread running thru the warp and woof of their busy lives for the uplift of China.

WAYNE CLARK JORDAN; '06.

### MANHOOD

Who wills shall have his will in all fulfilled.  
Oh, to be strong to will one's self a god;  
Self inled, a leader, asking but of men  
The worship such a self deserves from earth.  
Oh, to forget if but for just a day,  
Only for time to will in—to forget  
How bound by self and circumstance we are;  
Bow only to the cataract's roar and might,  
Nor heed the granite's will which turns its  
course  
Unconscious; and will, and work and win;  
Give to blind law and senseless flesh the lie!



## MAINE COLLEGE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Per ct. won
Bates	4	0	1000
Colby	2	3	400
Bowdoin	1	2	333
Maine	2	4	333

## BATES 9, COLBY 4

By defeating Colby last Wednesday, May 20, Bates increased her lead in the race for the baseball championship. The Bates team entered the game with a vengeance. A fusillade of hits during the first four innings drove Capt. James from the box in dismay. Stinson pitched a steady game, keeping the hits well scattered. Every man on the Bates team took pains to swell his batting average, and many hits went for extra bases. At the decisive moments Butler, Fuller, McDonald and Moore pounded the ball hard. Nutting's home run was the longest drive seen here this year. Campbell and Cawley of Colby excelled in fielding honors.

## BATES

AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Coady, 3b.....	5	0	2	0	3
McDonald, ss..	4	2	3	1	0
Fuller, 2b....	5	1	2	2	1
Talbot, c.....	4	2	1	10	0
Butler, c.f....	5	2	3	0	0
Cobb, 1b.....	5	0	1	9	0
Davis, l.f.....	4	0	1	5	0
Stinson, p....	4	1	1	0	3
Totals ....	41	9	17	27	8

## COLBY

AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Shuster, c.f....	3	0	0	1	0
Smith, 1b.....	2	0	0	3	0
Lowney, c....	5	1	1	2	3
Cawley, ss....	5	0	0	4	3
Nutting, 1b, c.f.	5	1	2	6	0
Fraser, r.f....	5	2	2	2	0
La Fleur, 3b... 5	0	3	0	0	0
Campbell, 2b.. 5	0	0	4	2	0
Simpson, l.f... 4	0	1	2	0	0
James, p..... 2	0	0	0	3	0
Steves, p..... 2	0	2	0	3	0
Totals .....	43	4	11	24	15

## TUFTS 2, BATES 0

Friday, May 22, Tufts defeated Bates in the best game seen here this year. The two southpaw twirlers, Krepps of the visitors and Lindquist of Bates, fought a pitchers' battle with honors about even. Only four hits were made off each pitcher. But errors behind "Link" lost him the game. The fielding exhibition of the visitors was sensational.

The summary:—

	R	H	E
Tufts .....	2	4	1
Bates .....	0	4	6

Batteries: Krepps and Bennett for Tufts; Lindquist and Talbot for Bates.

## BATES 1, N. H. STATE 0

Bates won a closely fought contest with N. H. State last Saturday. Stinson and Bissell were once more in a pitchers' battle, and the former came out a victor. Butler tripled in the second, and scored a moment later for the only run of the game. Butler is proving a great source of strength with the willow. "Sandy" Fuller fielded a perfect game, accepting nine chances without an error.

The summary:

	R	H	E
Bates .....	1	6	1
N. H. State .....	0	6	1

## BATES SECOND WINS

The second team defeated Norway High, Saturday, 9 to 5. The Bates boys batted hard, and at opportune times, but their fielding was very ragged.

The score:

	R	H	E
Bates Second .....	9	14	9
Norway High .....	5	7	4

Batteries: Winslow and Eldridge; Kane, Snow and McDaniels.

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1882—Benjamin G. Eaton of St. Paul, Minn., has received his seventh appointment to State Summer Training School work. Mr. Eaton is principal of a school in St. Paul.

1886—Professor W. H. Hartshorn of Bates is to deliver the Memorial Day address for the city of Lewiston.

1888—Dr. William F. Tibbetts is head of one of the departments in Curtis High School, New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.

1897—June 7th, Hon. Carl E. Milliken will give an address at Westbrook, Me. The occasion is the 100th anniversary of that city.

1899—Alton C. Wheeler of South Paris, Maine, is Progressive nominee for congressman in the second district.

1904—John A. David has for six years been head of the Science Department in a large school in Pittsburg, Pa. During this last year he has been head of the upper school. No boy or girl whom he has certified for admission to college has failed in Freshman work at any institution. Mr. David has recently had an article on Teaching Reproduction accepted by the Home Progress Magazine, published by Houghton, Mifflin & Co.

1905—Amy D. Thissell is teaching in the high school at Wellesley, Mass.

1906—Rev. Merritt L. Gregg, pastor of the North Baptist Church, Halifax, N. S., expects to attend the Bates commencement. On his trip he will also attend the Northern Baptist Convention in Boston.

1908—Daniel R. Hodgdon, Head of the Science Department of the State Normal School at Newark, N. J., is to give an annual prize of ten dollars for excellence in Freshman Reading at Bates.

1908—H. Leslie Sawyer has returned to his home in Madison, Maine, having recently completed his thesis for the Ph.D. degree at Princeton.

1909—Carl Holman is Superintendent of schools at Falmouth, Mass.

1912—Wilhelmina Noyes is teaching Latin and French in Lee Academy, Lee, Me.

Florence A. Rideout of Norway, was a visitor in Lewiston last week.

1913—Frank Sleeper is attending the Medical School of Maine at Bowdoin.

Harry Woodman is working for Deering Milliken Company, a wholesale dry goods firm in New York City.

Raymond Carter teaches in the high school at Rockport, Me.

Gordon L. Cave is assistant to Ernest H. Brunquist (1912), who is the professor of biology and chemistry at Hillsdale College, Hillsdale, Michigan.

Clinton D. Wilson works in the office of the "Plymouth Record," in Plymouth, N.H.

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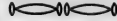
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, JUNE 4

- 6.00 P.M. Pierian Society Banquet, Lake Grove.  
7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.

### FRIDAY, JUNE 5

- A.M. Bowdoin vs. Bates at Brunswick.  
4.30 P.M. Press Club.  
7.30 P.M. Bates Interscholastic Debating League, Champion Debate.  
Leavitt Institute vs. Rumford H. S.

### MONDAY, JUNE 8

- 1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.00 P.M. Musical Club Banquet, Lake Grove.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Junior Current Events Clubs.

### TUESDAY, JUNE 9

- 6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Clubs.

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10

- 6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Senior Meeting.  
"The Greatest Things Bates Can Give."  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.  
7.45 P.M. Junior Exhibition, College Chapel.

### THURSDAY, JUNE 11

- 9.45 A.M. Last chapel.  
2.00 P.M. Ivy Day Exercises.

### FRIDAY, JUNE 12

Final Examinations begin.

## Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. meeting on May 27, was held on the library lawn. Prof. Leonard gave a very interesting and concise talk on "Student Life in German Universities." A feature of the University differing much from our colleges is the apparent disregard for soliciting students. The attraction of the different Universities lies in their faculty. There are two main divisions open to the students, the classical and technical. No entrance examinations seem an inductive feature, but the

previous work required counteracts this, as a diploma from the lower schools is necessary for entrance to the University.

A student may sign up for as many courses as he wishes and charges are based on the amount of work taken. Final examinations of the University are oral, and failure in these examinations means loss of many opportunities for the German student.

In closing Prof. Leonard referred to the fact that there is little Y. M. C. A. work among the Universities. Chapel services are unknown, but the study of the Bible is part of the curriculum.

## BATES PAGEANT

Work for the pageant which is to help celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Bates College, is being enthusiastically carried on. Mrs. Blanchet from Emerson College is in general charge. The Bates pageant is to be a stationary one in contrast to the older or processional forms. It is to be held, weather permitting, on the steps of Coram Library, otherwise in Hathorn Hall. Twelve scenes, at least, will be represented dating from the burning of the old Parsonsfield Seminary to the present graduating class. Altho many minor parts have been filled, the most important ones are not yet chosen. President Chase and Dean Buswell have the selection of the parts in charge. Prof. Hertell is arranging for the music, Miss Bell for the dancing, while Miss Mabel Merrill, a former Bates graduate, is writing all the poetry for the occasion.

## ELECTION OF TRACK CAPTAIN

E. O. Small, '15, was elected captain of track for the ensuing year at a meeting of the "B" men held last Saturday. Small, who is a graduate of Starkey Institute, Ithaca, N. Y., has been a member of the track team for three years. This year in the Maine State Meet he won his letter by taking third place in both the hundred-yard dash and two-hundred-and-twenty-yard dash.



## MAINE COLLEGE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Per ct.
Bates	4	1	800
Bowdoin	3	2	600
Colby	2	4	333
Maine	2	4	333

## BATES 4, BOWDOIN 6

Bates lost her first game in the Maine series to Bowdoin, Saturday, May 30th, in an eleven inning game. The winner could not be picked until the last man was out, for nearly all the runs of both teams were made with two men out.

It was an ideal day for the game, the morning shower leaving the diamond in perfect condition.

Bowdoin scored one run in the first when Cobb failed to hold a hard grounder from McElwee. In the second inning Bowdoin scored again when Tuttle singled, was sacrificed to third and came home on Knight's single.

In the last half of the second Bates tied the score when Eaton, Bowdoin's first baseman, dropped two throws. On Eaton's first error, Butler made first base, and on the second error he scored and Moore made third. Stinson's single scored Moore. Stinson got as far as third on Coady's list and then made a desperate attempt to get home on a short passed ball. The umpire called him out.

Stinson's control and fielding were faultless and Bowdoin failed to score until the fifth when one man crossed the plate on a single and a three-base hit, with two out. Bowdoin sent in another tally in the seventh, making it 4-2.

Bates, however, came back in the eighth, and after a hard fight, tied the score. MacDonald started the rally with a single and Talbot followed with a three-bagger. Moore, Cobb and Drake singled in succession, scoring the necessary two runs and filling the bases. Stinson then had a chance to win the game, but his grounder to Chapman was an easy out and the rally was over.

In the ninth and tenth neither side was able to score. With two men out in the eleventh, Knight, Bowdoin's pitcher, drove a

long triple to left field, and came home on Phillips' single. Bowdoin got another run in this inning, just for good measure. Bates failed to score in the last half and the game was over.

The summary:

## BOWDOIN

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Phillips, lf....	6	2	2	1	0	0
Stetson, rf....	5	2	3	2	3	0
Weatherill, 2b	3	0	2	3	3	1
McElwee, 3b..	5	0	2	3	2	1
Chapman, ss..	5	0	0	2	0	2
Tuttle, cf....	5	1	1	2	0	0
Eaton, 1b....	4	0	0	11	0	3
LaCasce, c....	4	0	1	9	2	0
Knight, p....	5	1	2	0	3	0
Totals .....	42	6	13	33	13	7

## BATES

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Coady, 3b....	6	0	2	1	0	0
MacDonald, ss	5	1	1	4	1	0
Fuller, 2b....	4	0	1	5	3	0
Talbot, c....	5	1	1	4	1	0
Butler, cf....	5	1	1	2	0	0
Moore, rf....	5	1	1	1	0	0
Cobb, 1b....	5	0	1	15	0	1
Davis, lf....	2	0	0	0	0	0
Drake, lf....	3	0	1	1	1	1
Stinson, p....	5	0	1	0	1	0
Totals ....	45	4	10	33	7	2

Bowdoin .....	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	—6
Bates .....	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—4

Two-base hits—Weatherill, Coady. Three-base hits—Knight, McElwee, Talbot, Fuller. Struck out—by Knight 9, by Stinson 3. First base on balls—off Knight 1, off Stinson 1. Stolen bases—Phillips, Stetson, McElwee, Coady, Butler. Umpire—Daley.

## BATES 4, N. H. STATE 3

Bates won again from New Hampshire Wednesday, May 27th, at Garcelon Field in eleven inning game, by the score of 4 to 3. Although the fielding of both teams was very poor, the game was at all times exciting. The game was won and lost several times. Bates scored one run in the first inning, but New Hampshire went into the lead in the third by



scoring two runs. Bates tied the score in the sixth when Talbot hit a three-bagger and came home on Butler's sacrifice. Bates got the lead again in the eighth, when Butler tripled and came home on a pass ball, only to be tied again in the ninth. Neither side scored in the tenth inning. In the eleventh Bates got the winning run through errors.

The score by innings:

Bates ..... 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1—4  
N. H. State .... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—3

Hits—Off Lindquist, 7 in 8 1-3 innings; off Stinson, 1 in 2 2-3 innings. Two-base hits—Paulson, Hazen. Three-base hits—Talbot, Butler. Struck out—By Lindquist 4, by Stinson 1, by Paulson 9. First base on balls—Off Lindquist 4. Stolen bases—W. Brackett, Welch, R. Brackett 2, Reardon, Coady 2, MacDonald, Butler. Double plays R. Brackett and Hazen, Lindquist and Cobb and Talbot. Umpire—Ireland.

## INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS

### TOURNAMENT

Tomblen, Bates '14, won the championship in the singles of the Maine intercollegiate tennis tournament which was held at Colby College May 25-28, by defeating Gowen of Maine in the finals, the score being, 6-2; 10-8; 6-3.

In the preliminaries of the doubles Tomblen and Purinton of Bates were defeated by Goodspeed and Bartlett of Maine, 3-6; 6-2; 9-7. Also Lee and Richardson of Bates were defeated by Eaton and Larrabee of Bowdoin, 9-7; 6-2; 6-2. Although Lee and Richardson lost two sets out of three, they were the only team in the State that won a set from Eaton and Larrabee, the champions of the doubles.

## WOMEN'S SOCIAL SOCIETY

Tuesday evening, May 26, the young women interested in the plan, met in Fiske Hall and talked over the formation of a Social Club. During the evening, Miss Shores, '14, served as chairman, and Miss Roberts, '15, as Secretary. A constitution was adopted and plans for a later meeting for election of officers were made. The club has for its aim, the promotion of social life at Bates.

## EUROSOPHIA

At the meeting of the society last Friday night many important matters were discussed. Questions of changes in the constitution were taken up and it was voted to amend the articles referring to the time of meeting and to the term of the officers, to conform with the recommendations made by the faculty committee, namely, that the meetings should be held once a fortnight and the officers should hold office for only one semester. It was further decided to limit the society to twenty-eight members, seven new members being elected February of each year. All the meetings of the society shall be with closed doors. General plans for the first few meetings next year were made.

## PIAERIAN SOCIETY

At the meeting of Piæria last Friday night radical changes in the constitution were noted, following out the suggestions of the committee of the faculty for re-organizing the literary societies. Plans were made for the meetings of next year. It was voted to hold the meetings every other Friday night. It was also decided that the officers of the society should be elected semi-annually. The membership will be strictly limited, only seven men being elected to the society in one year, all elections to the society to come the first of the second semester. The meetings of the society will be held with closed doors. The matter of a society pin was left in the hands of the Executive Committee.

Final arrangements were made for the Piærian Banquet to be held next Friday night at Lake Grove. This banquet will include the women who were formerly members of Piæria.

## JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

The last meeting of the society will be held Monday, June 8, at 7.30. It is desired to have the attendance of all the members as important business is to be transacted. Election of officers, election of new members, and full arrangements of the banquet are to be some of the things to be considered.



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## ALUMNI

*To the Editor of the Student:*

On the 16th of June occurs the eightieth birthday of Prof. Stanton. We make this announcement that all may know. Further comment is not needed. Words would be superfluous. For a half century he has spoken his own word to every son and daughter of Bates.

May his eightieth anniversary be made joyous by greetings from a thousand Bates men and women who love him.

1904.

Plans are rapidly being made for Alumni Day, June 23. Word has just been received from the class of 1904 that they will be on hand with something good, preferring, however, to conceal the nature of their program until the "psychological moment". Last week the plans of 1912 were printed in the columns of the STUDENT. These are evidences that Bates alumni are everywhere awakening to

the fact that this is to be the most important commencement in the history of the college. The success of Alumni Day will depend upon the loyalty of the classes in their endeavor to present the best get-up in the historico-humorous parade. This part of the program will be carried out in the forenoon. The afternoon will be given over to the historical pageant, which will be presented on the steps of the Coram Library. The work has already been taken in charge by Mrs. M. L. Blanchet of Manchester, N. H. Let us have lots of enthusiasm with plenty of work to make this occasion a happy and memorable affair to every one interested in our college.

## COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS

The commencement speakers have been elected and the following list chosen:

Mr. George Charles Marsden.  
Mr. James Roy Packard.  
Mr. Harold Norman Smith.  
M. Wilbert Scamman Warren.

### Ladies

Miss Clara Augusta Chapman.  
Miss Edith Gertrude Fales.  
Miss Harriet Lucy McCann.  
Miss Rachel Louisa Sargent.

Among the new arrangements it has been decided to have but six speakers this year. Mr. Warren and Miss Fales have resigned.

## Y. M. C. A. COMMITTEES

The Association's committees are putting on the final touches of the year's work by laying careful plans for the beginning of next year's work. Some of the committees have had their last session, all plans having been made for a good start next fall. The Social Service Committee, having furnished deputations for four churches in the last three weeks, beside other activities, have completed their work. Extensive plans have been made for work among high school students, for work among foreigners, for work among boys, as well as various forms of deputations. The committee is composed of the following men:

J. L. Moulton, *Chairman*  
R. D. Stillman  
J. L. Meader  
S. E. Keneston  
J. L. Sherman



The Recruiting Committee have arranged for and are carrying out a splendid course of Wednesday evening meetings. The last meeting held on the campus and led by Dr. Leonard was well attended and the address was very instructive and interesting as have been the others. These were advertised by a neat little blotter also containing the football schedule for next fall. The names of those men who have been active in Association work and who are going to some of the larger cities will soon be compiled and sent to Mr. O. F. Cutts, who has charge of the alumni work of the Y. M. C. A. Meetings are being planned for next fall and the committee has been active along other lines of its work as well. The members of this committee are:

K. F. Witham, *Chairman*  
 R. Greene  
 H. Hilton  
 E. A. Elwell  
 P. W. Lane  
 M. H. Wiggin  
 G. F. Currier

Upon Monday evening, May 25, the second of the series of meetings was held in Roger Williams Chapel. Mr. Cushman presided at this meeting. The last meeting of the year was held in the same place last Monday evening.

These meetings have been held for the benefit of those who are anticipating leading classes next fall. The meetings have been well attended and each man given an opportunity to get much to be of use in his class work.

Much credit is due Mr. Cushman who has set out the work in a clear and practical manner. He laid great emphasis upon the need of a thorough preparation for each leader—and suggested various plans for leading the groups.

The committee has spent much time in selecting and arranging suitable courses for the four classes. A tentative division of classes in the various dormitories with a leader for each, has also been made.

The Committee upon Religious Education is:

Carey  
 Clifford,  
 Gustin  
 Sanford  
 Snow  
 Buker

The beginning of the Religious Educational Work of the College for the coming year was made Friday evening, May 22. At this time a banquet was held at the college commons. After the banquet a number of brief addresses were listened to. The talks were arranged representative of an athletic contest and the following program followed:

Prof. Baird—Preliminaries.

Mr. Cushman—The Game Outlined.

Prof. Purinton—Coaching.

John Greenan—Comments from the Field.

Prof. Turner—Sentiments from the Grand Stand.

Rev. Mr. Leslie—Scoring.

The Campus Service Committee has been busy getting its organization perfected. Its lines of activity are more varied than the other committees and the nature of its work demands a large force. One or two new lines of work have been initiated. June 1 was set apart as membership day in order to give all those who had not joined the opportunity to do so. In order to let the student body and especially incoming Freshmen know the nature and scope of their work, they published a neat little folder describing the work and naming the committees. Its contents are as follows:

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Campus Service Committeés, E. A. Harding, '15, General Chairman:

Handbook—J. L. Meader, '15; R. D. Stillman, '16; W. W. McCann, '16; C. Bright, '16; A. L. Purinton, '17.

Tutoring Bureau—L. Jordan, '15; J. Greenan, '15; N. C. Richardson, '15; H. Davis, '15.

Membership—H. P. Johnson, '16; A. C. Parker, '16; T. H. Blanchard, '15; R. B. Prew, '17.

New Student—R. E. Merrill, '16; R. Greene, '16; E. B. Hutchinson, '16.

Social—H. D. Drew, '16; A. C. Parker, '16; R. Boothby, '16; V. C. Swicker, '16; P. E. Thissell, '17.

Book Agency—E. B. Hutchinson, '16; N. E. Richardson, '15; W. F. Oakman, '16; C. C. Chayer, '17.

#### GOD'S NAME IN VAIN

She goes to church on Sunday,  
Dressed in her Sunday best,  
Her hat the latest fashion,  
Slit skirt and all the rest.

"Oh, see the little darling"  
The rowdies say and smile.  
"See how she holds her prayerbook;  
And preens her clothes the while."

Behold our stylish maiden,  
In Tango slippers shod,  
With smirk self-satisfaction,  
Enter the house of God.

The hush, the solemn stillness,  
The dim and hazy light  
Inspire the soul to worship,  
And set the styles off right.

For stop, you idle scorner,  
And the fine effect confess  
Of the light from colored windows  
Upon a Tango dress.

The organ calls to worship,  
Sweet music fills the room,  
The organist is peeping  
In the mirror at her plume.

Oh, tell me, Thou who knowest,  
Who the inmost heart can't see,  
Is she trying thru her music  
To offer praise to thee?

High down from the altar window  
With sad and pitying smile,  
The image of the Master  
Looks on the latest style.

"My Jesus, how I love thee,"  
The maiden softly sings,  
Wishing now she's had her hat trimmed  
With flowers instead of wings.

The minister is praying,  
She bows low with the rest,  
Folds her hands in just the manner  
That will show her gloves up best.



She listens to the sermon,  
As stylish maidens should.  
She listens to the sermon,  
And calls it "very good."

Then from that house of worship,  
From the presence of the Lord,  
She goes in all her glory,  
Inspired by His word.

Then can you even wonder  
That her soul is filled with pain,  
When she hears a ragged street boy  
Take the name of God in vain?

Her mouth is round with horror,  
And she quickly trips away,  
And wonders at such blasphemy  
Upon the Sabbath day.

Yet stop, you stylish maiden,  
And see if you can say,  
With justice in your judgment,  
Just who blasphemed to-day.

He took the name of Jesus,  
He of environment so low,  
He took the name of Jesus,  
Because he did not know.

You took the name of Jesus,  
You, the slave of fashion grim.  
You took the name of Jesus,—  
When your thoughts were not with Him.

Oh, take your hat to heaven  
You woman of to-day.  
Oh, take your hat to heaven!  
It is the only way.

For stripped of all its finery,  
In that final "fashion strike"  
When you've lost your prop of virtue,  
What will your soul be like?

—1915.

#### ALUMNI NOTES

1868—President George C. Chase is to deliver the baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of Ricker Classical Institute, on June 14th.

1873—William Rynne is a practicing physician in Portland, Maine, located at 235½ Congress St.

1874—Frederick B. Stanford, who is doing literary work in New York City, is now living in Brooklyn, Conn.

1883—Oliver H. Frisbee of Portsmouth, N. H., is a vice-president and member of the

board of managers of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association.

1904—Rev. E. M. Holman, pastor of the Bristol, Vermont, Free Baptist Church, recently received five new members to his church by baptism. He is to be sent by the church to the Northern Baptist Convention, in Boston.

1906—Elmer R. Verrill, for several years principal of the academy at Lee, Maine, has been elected principal of the East Maine Conference Seminary, at Bucksport.

1908—Invitations have been sent out to the marriage of Miss Elisabeth Williams Anthony, Bates, '08, to Mr. Robert Cloutman Dexter, on June 12th. They will be at home after August 1st, at 15 Columbia Street, Brockton, Mass.

1909—Rev. H. I. Holt of Guilford, delivered the Memorial Day address at Abbot, Me.

Rev. George F. Bolster of South Medford, Mass., is to take the pastorate of the West End Church, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

"1910" is busy and will be ready to play its part at the Semi-Centennial of Bates.

1911—The STUDENT wishes to correct the error that Mr. Irving Hill Blake who wrote the words of "Alma Mater" was a member of 1912. He is, however, a member of the class of 1911. At present he is in Corvallis, Oregon, where he is teaching in the State University. He has been very successful and is in line for further advancement.

1912—Clarence H. Brown, who until recently has been teaching in Island Falls, is now principal of the high school at Limestone, Me.

1913—Blynn E. Davis is Head of the Department of Mathematics in the high school at Pawtucket, R. I.

#### POLITICS CLUB

At the last meeting of the Politics Club, officers were elected for the coming year:

President—J. Greenan, '15.

First Vice-President—E. Small, '15.

Second Vice-President—L. Knight, '15.

Secretary—E. Harding, '15.

Treasurer—W. McCullough, '15.

The program of the evening consisted of reports from those attending the Intercollegiate Civic League Conference at Washington. The club plans to hold a ladies' night June 10.



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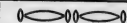
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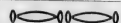
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## EXAMINATIONS

Second Semester 1913-1914

### *Seniors*

Friday, June 12

- Geology 2, R. W. H.  
8 A.M. Zoology 8, Science Hall.  
French 12, French Room.  
1.30 P.M. Education, Phil. Room.

SATURDAY, June 13

- 8 A.M. English 9, Eng. and Phil. Rooms.  
1.30 P.M. Gov. 1, Labor Prob., History R.  
Zoology 6, Science Hall.  
French 8, Eng. R.

Monday, June 15

- German 8, Hist. R.  
8 A.M. Ethics, Phil. R.  
1.30 P.M. Chem. 6, Hedge Lab.

Tuesday, June 16

- Math. 8, Math. R.  
8 A.M. Geol. 4.  
Social.  
Phil. of Rel., R. W. H.  
1.30 P.M. Astronomy, Geol. R.  
Spanish, Geol. R.  
Latin 6, Lat. and Hist. R.  
Adv. Chem. Hedge Lab.

### *Juniors*

Friday, June 12

- Geol. 2, R. W. H.  
8 A.M. Zool. 4, Science H.  
1.30 P.M. Chem. 4, Hedge Lab.

Saturday, June 13

- 8 A.M. Hist. 4, Hist. R.  
1.30 P.M. French 8 and French 10, Eng. R.

Monday, June 15

- (Spec.) Ger. 9, Hist. R.  
8 A.M. Logic, Phil. R.  
1.30 P.M. Eng. 7, Eng. and Phil. R.

Tuesday, June 16

- 8 A.M. Math. 6, Math R.  
Fr. Rev., R. W. H.  
Hebrew, R. W. H.  
1.30 P.M. Spanish, Geol. R.  
Latin 6, Lat. and Hist. R.

Wednesday, June 17

- 8 A.M. Psych., Phil. and Eng. R.  
1.30 P.M. Economics, Phil. and Eng. R.

Thursday, June 18

- German 6, R. W. H.  
1.30 P.M.

Friday, June 19

- 8 A.M. Greek, Greek R.

### *Sophomores*

Friday, June 12

- 8 A.M. Zoology 2, Science Hall.  
1.30 P.M. Am. Literature, Eng. R.

Saturday, June 13

- 8 A.M. Math. 4, Math. R.  
Orient. Hist., R. W. H.  
French 4, French R.

Monday, June 15

- 8 A.M. Hygiene, Science Hall.  
1.30 P.M. German 2, R. W. H.  
German 4, Math. R.

Tuesday, June 16

- 8 A.M. Sanitation, Science Hall.  
1.30 P.M. Latin 4, Lat. and Hist. R.

Wednesday, June 17

- 8 A.M. Psych., Phil. and Eng. R.  
1.30 P.M. French 6, R. W. H.  
Economics, Eng. and Phil. R.

Thursday, June 18

- 8 A.M. Hist. 2, Hist. R.  
1.30 P.M. Adv. Arg., Eng. R.

Friday, June 19

- 8 A.M. Greek, Greek R.  
Chem. 2, Hedge Lab.  
1.30 P.M. Physics 3, Science H.  
Physics 5, Science H.  
Eng. 4, Eng. R.

### *Freshmen*

Friday, June 12

- 8 A.M. Eng. 2, Eng, Phil. and Math. R.

Saturday, June 13

- 8 A.M. French 4, French R.  
1.30 P.M. Bib. Lit., R. W. H.  
Botany, Science H.



## Monday, June 15

- 8 A.M. Oratory, R. W. H., Eng. & Math. R.  
1.30 P.M. German 2, R. W. H.

## Tuesday, June 16

- 8 A.M. Latin. 2, Eng. and Phil. R.

## Wednesday, June 17

- 8 A.M. French 2, Hist. R.  
1.30 P.M. French 6, R. W. H.

## Thursday, June 18

- 8 A.M. Math. 2, Math. Phil. & Eng. R.

## Friday, June 19

- 8 A.M. Greek, Greek R.  
1.30 P.M. Physics, Science H.  
Greek Statesmanship, R. W. H.

## COMMENCEMENT

Programs have been issued for the exercises of commencement week, and the semi-centennial anniversary of Bates College, June 21-24. Many distinguished guests are to be present, among them, Judge A. M. Spear of Gardiner, who is expecting that all the justices on the Supreme Bench will come with him. Hon. S. W. McCall of Massachusetts, will also be here and probably Ex-Governor John D. Long. The program follows:

## SUNDAY

- 3.30 P.M.—Baccalaureate Sermon by the President in College Chapel.  
8.00 P.M.—Reminiscences. F. E. Emrich, D.D., '76.

## MONDAY

- 9.00 A.M.—Reunions of College Classes at places appointed by Class Secretaries.  
2.30 P.M.—The Class Day Exercises of the Class of 1914 in Hathorn Hall.  
8.00 P.M.—Illumination of College Campus. Presentation of Senior Play, *Alceste* in English).  
Class of '94 at home to Classes '91-'97, Whittier House.

## TUESDAY

- 8.00 A.M.—The Annual Meeting of the College Club in Eurosophian Room.  
9.00 A.M.—The Annual Meeting of the President and Trustees in Rooms 1 and 2, Hathorn Hall.  
The Annual Meeting of the Alumnae Club in Polymnian Room.  
Carnival: Burlesque Performances by Various Classes. Athletic Events, Garcelon Field.  
2.30 P.M.—Semi-Centennial Exercises in College Chapel.

Historical Address, President Chase.

Oration, Carrol L. Beedy, Esq., '03.

Poem, Rev. Thomas H. Stacy, D.D., '76.

- 4.00 P.M.—Pageant: Scenes in the History of Bates. College Campus.

- 5.00 P.M.—College Songs on Hathorn Hall Terrace.

- 7.30 P.M.—Annual Meeting of Alumni Association in Hathorn Hall.

- 8.00 P.M.—Organ Recital and Concert in College Chapel.

## WEDNESDAY

- 10.00 A.M.—Commencement Dinner on College Campus, Brief addresses by distinguished guests and graduates.

- 8.00—Reception to Alumni, Graduating Class and their friends by President Chase in Fiske Reception Room, Rand Hall.

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### ALUMNI DAY

Plans have been arranged to make Alumni Day, June 23, one of the big features of this Commencement. The committee has provided to make the forenoon one of activity. Harry Lord of the Chicago White Sox will probably be present on the field. W. F. Garcelon, Esq., '92, will award trophies to all winners of the events. The program:

9.00 A.M. Circus parade.

10.00 A.M. Track events.

100 yds. dash, open to students and alumni.

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50 yds. dash, open to alumni only.

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10.30 Baseball

Alumni vs. Varsity.

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### MUSICAL CLUBS

At a recent meeting of the Girls' Glee Club the following officers were elected: Leader, Miss Roberts, '15; manager, Miss Howard, '15; and pianist, Miss Hilton, '15.

The Girls' Mandolin Club has elected officers as follows: Leader, Miss Cole, '15, and manager, Miss King, '16. Plans for the coming banquet were discussed.

### Y. W. C. A.

The last Y. W. C. A. Meeting of the year was held Wednesday evening, June 10, under the leadership of the Seniors. Miss Pierce talked on the subject, "When He walked among men." For special music, a solo was furnished by Miss George, a vocal duet by Misses Foss and Freeze, and a mandolin duet by Misses Morey and Wandtke.

### MUSICAL CLUBS

The annual banquet of the musical clubs was held at the Lake Grove House last Monday evening. After enjoying a shore dinner, the following toasts were responded to by members of the Association:

"Promiscuous Flirtations" Mr. Small, '14

"Band" Mr. J. L. Meader, '15

"Amusing Experiences" Mr. Thomas, '15

"History 13-14" Mr. Carey, '15

"Press Dope" Mr. Goodhew, '14

"Fellowship" Mr. J. L. Moulton, '15

"Co-Eds" Mr. Cox, '14

"Farewell to Undergraduates" Mr. Beek, '14

Mr. Blanchard as president for the past season, acted as toast-master. After the remarks, the following elections were carried out: President, Mr. Blanchard, '15; Vice-President, Hutchinson, '16; Secretary, Lane, '17; Leader of Mandolin Club, Pigeon, '15; Leader of Glee Club, Blanchard, '15; Manager, Seavey, '15; Treasurer, Jordan, '15; Executive Committee, Talbot, '15, Carey, '15, and J. L. Meader, '15.

### POLITICS CLUB

At a special meeting, Monday noon, the following men were elected to become active members from the present Sophomore class: Stillman, R. Greene, Hutchinson, McCann, and Boothby.

### PIAERIAN BANQUET

The PIAERIAN banquet was held at Lake Grove House, Thursday, June 4th, at 6 P.M. The rather rainy and dismal evening in no wise proved to be detrimental to the pleasant evening enjoyed by the twenty-five members present. A regular shore supper was served. Mr. J. Roy Packard acted as toastmaster, and the following responded to toasts in their order: Prof. W. H. Hartshorn, History of PIAERIA; Miss Venila L. Shores, '14, The Passing of Time; Mr. W. H. Hamilton, '14, The New Societies; Miss Mabel C. Durgan, '15, Styles; Mr. Arthur Shubert, '14, The Literary Society; a light sense of humor, interwoven with helpful remarks, prevailed in each toast. Following the toasts the banquet was concluded after the singing of a few songs. Owing to the reconstruction of the societies, this is probably the last society banquet in which both the young women and men of PIAERIA will take part.



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During the last year Bates has affiliated with herself an Interscholastic Debating League, including eight of the leading preparatory schools of the state. These are, Rumford High, Leavitt Institute, Maine Central Institute, Camden High, Rockland High, South Paris High, Deering High and Kents Hill. The purpose of the league is to encourage debating in these various schools, and it has not failed to bring about this end. In the preliminaries, which were held on April 10, Deering won from Maine Central Institute; Rumford from South Paris; Rockland from Camden and Leavitt from Kents Hill. In the semi-finals Rumford won from Deering on May 8, and Leavitt won from Rockland on May 22. The final debate will be held in Assembly Hall on Friday evening at 7.45 o'clock. The participants in this debate are Leavitt Institute and Rumford High School. The question, which has been used for each of the preliminary debates, and the one

which will be debated Friday evening is: *Resolved*, That a further material increase in our navy is desirable. The winner in this debate will receive a handsome trophy cup, the gift of E. V. Turgeon of Lewiston.

There is every indication that the formation of this league is a success. There has been a great deal of interest shown in these contests throughout the southern part of Maine, the excellence of the debates and the enthusiasm of the schools should be of a material encouragement to those who were instrumental in bringing about this excellent series of contests. Let's lend our enthusiasm by filling Assembly Hall to the doors tomorrow night, in the final contest.

## JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

The last meeting of the society was held Monday evening. After the regular business of the meeting, the new members from the present Junior and Sophomore classes were elected as follows: 1915, Fossett, Davis, Clifford, Jordan, Manuel and Wight; 1916, Nichols, Swicker, Merrill, Swett, and Townsend.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were:

Charles H. Higgins President.

Earle A. Harding, Secretary.

Paul R. Smith, Chairman of the Executive Committee.

The society plan to hold a banquet at the Lake Grove House, Monday, June 22, and it is expected that many of the graduate members will be in attendance at this time.

## BATES INTERSCHOLASTIC TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Bates' second annual interscholastic tennis tournament was held June 1-3. There were five preparatory schools represented: Edward Little, Lewiston High, Cony, M. C. I., and Hebron. Purinton and Woodin of Edward Little won the championship in the doubles by defeating Johnson and Burleigh of Cony in the finals. Five sets were played, Edward Little winning three of them; the score being: 2-6, 2-6, 7-5, 7-5, 6-3. Johnson of Cony won the championship in the singles by defeating Purinton of Edward Little in the finals, the score being 6-0, 6-0, 6-2.



## Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. meeting of June 3 was in Libbey Forum. The subject was "College Men and Promiscuous Flirtation," and was an open discussion meeting.

Each man took part and contributed his ideas on the subject. Different opinions were expressed. Some believed that it was harmful to the individual himself, some that it was harmful to the woman, others that it had its effects on other students.

The meeting was informal and of the kind that attracts students.

## BATES 4, COLBY 5

Bates lost to Colby in a ten-inning exhibition game last Saturday at Gardiner by the score of 4 to 5. Moore pitched a fine game for Bates, allowing only seven hits. The feature of the game was the hard hitting, Simpson and Fraser of Colby making home runs. When Colby came to the bat in the tenth inning Bates was leading by one run, but Colby, aided by Simpson's home run with a man on, produced the two runs and won the game. Bates played an errorless game and got twelve hits off James, the Colby pitcher.

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Bates	0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 1—4	12	0	
Colby	1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 2—5	7	4	

Two-base hits—Fuller, Talbot, Nutting, Shuster. Three-base hits—Butler, Lafleur. Home runs—Simpson, Fraser. Struck out—by Moore 9, by James 8. First base on balls—Off Moore 5, off James 6. Stolen bases—Butler, Cobb, Cawley. Umpire—Carrigan.

## BATES 1, BOWDOIN 4

Bates lost her second championship game in the State series to Bowdoin last Friday morning at Brunswick, by the score of 4 to 1. The game was held, as usual, in connection with Bowdoin's ivy-day exercises. By winning this game Bowdoin is now tied with Bates for the State championship.

But for a stiff wind the day was ideal, and the diamond was in perfect condition. The issue at stake, the presence of scores of ivy

week guests, as well as 150 Bates rooters, combined to give this deciding contest an unusual atmosphere. Enthusiasm was at the highest pitch, and the Bates and Bowdoin bands kept things moving at a lively pace.

Bowdoin scored in the first inning. Phillips made a neat bunt to third base and reached first by speedy running. Stetson sacrificed him to second. Weatherill was put out on a fly to center field. McElwee, the next batter, sent a grounder to Cobb, Bates' first baseman, who missed the ball thus permitting Phillips to score.

Bates got her first hit from Knight and scored her only run in the fourth inning. After Coady had struck out MacDonald sent a single into left field and scored when Fuller drove out a two-base hit.

In the sixth inning Bowdoin added another run when Weatherill hit safely, was sacrificed to second, and scored an Chapman's hit into left field. In the seventh inning, aided by two passes and costly errors on the part of the Bates team, Bowdoin made two more runs.

Bates had another chance to score in the ninth. After Talbot had flied out to McElwee, Butler received his base on balls. He stole second and took third on Moore's single. But the next two batters, Cobb and Drake, went out on infield plays, and the game was over.

Lindquist pitched a fine game and there is no telling what the score would have been if he had received as good support as did Knight.

Two-base hit—Knight, Fuller. Sacrifice hits—Stetson, LaCasce. Stolen bases—Coady, Talbot, Butler. Left on bases—Bowdoin 9, Bates 7. First base on balls—By Knight 2, by Lindquist 5. First base on errors, Bowdoin 5, Bates 1. Struck out—By Knight 3; by Lindquist 5. Umpire—Stafford.

## GIRLS' ATHLETICS

Monday afternoon, June 8, the Girls' Athletic Association held its last business meeting of the year at Rand Hall, when the reports of the managers were read.

## FIELD DAY

Field Day was observed by the Girls' Athletic Association, Saturday afternoon, May 6. At two o'clock, the preliminaries in tennis



were played and the finals in volleyball. At three o'clock, the track events were held, then at four o'clock the preliminaries in baseball took place. The results were as follows:

### *Volleyball*

#### *Sophomores*

Bumpus, Captain  
King  
Johnson  
Bridgham  
Bryant  
Nelson, Warren  
Mower, Hodnett  
Hood, Russell

#### *Freshmen*

Lewis, Captain  
Leach  
Bennett  
Lundy  
Burnett  
Lougee, Green  
Nelson, Gregg  
Richmond, Farnsworth

The Sophomores won with the score of 30-16.

### *Track*

Five events were held with the following results:

High Jump—1st, Farnsworth, '17, 4 ft. 1 in.; 2d, Bassett, '15, and Merrill '15 4 ft.

Standing Broad Jump—1st Bumpus, '16, 6 ft. 9 in.; 2d, Lougee, '17, 6 ft. 8 1-4 in.

Dash—1st Lougee, '17; 2d, Bumpus, '16; 3d, King, '16.

Shot Put—1st, Nelson, '17, 30 ft. 9 in.; 2d, Bumpus, '16, 30 ft. 6 in.; 3d, Nelson, '17, 30 ft. 4 in.

Ball Thrower—1st, King, '16, 96 ft. 9 in.; 2d, Mills, '15, 95 ft. 1 3-4 in.; 3d, Lougee, '17, 94 ft. 10 3-4 in.

The Freshmen won the Track Banner with 14 points. The Sophomores won 11 points and the Juniors 5.

### *Baseball*

The Sophomores won from the Freshmen with the score 13-5. Miss Bassett, '15, acted as umpire.

### PERSISTENT BOBBY

The road was long and white, and the little person plodding wearily sighed as he saw how far it stretched before him; for his legs were very short. Presently he heard the sound of wheels in the road behind him, and when he had stepped aside, he was surprised to see the carriage stop beside him, and to hear a pleasant voice say, "Well, sonny, don't you want a ride?"

Bobby looked at the speaker inquiringly. He was a young man with serious dark eyes, and a smiling mouth. Beside him sat a young lady, very pretty, Bobby thought, but she did not smile at him, and when he had laboriously climbed in and squeezed his fat little body onto the seat between them, she pulled her white skirt far away from contact with his dusty shoes and did not speak to him.

The nice man said cheerfully:

"Where are you going, sonny?"

"My name ain't Sonny."

"Oh, isn't it?"

"No. It's Robert Searl. What's your name?"

"John. John Sargent."

"And what's her name?" pointing at the young lady.

"That is Miss Henderson."

"Oh." Bobby regarded her solemnly. "She doesn't like little boys," he decided. "Does she like big boys?"

The "big boy" shook his head. "Ask her," he said.

"Do you like big boys?"

"Some of them."

"Don't you like John? Don't you like John Sargent?"

Miss Henderson was silent and Bobby was persistent.

"He's a nice man, and *his* shoes aren't dusty." He regarded the polished pumps of the man beside him and compared them critically with his own stubby boots. "And, anyway, he likes you."

"How do you know?" asked the girl, a bit too eagerly.

Bobby pondered. "He takes you to ride, so he must like you. And I know he's nice, 'cause he asked me to ride. I like him."



After riding several minutes in silence, Bobby began again. "Did you used to like him once?"

"Yes."

"Was he naughty to you?"

"No."

"Yes, Bobby, I was naughty to her, but I told her I was sorry."

"When I've been naughty and say I'm sorry, mama always says, 'Come here and kiss me,' and then it's all right."

Bobby looked around to see how this suggestion was received. Their eyes met over his curly head and they laughed together. Then, with a little movement of surrender, the girl held out her hand, and John, holding it in a firm grasp, kissed her red lips.

The child laughed gleefully, as the girl gathered him in her arms regardless of the streaks of dust on her white dress. As she kissed him, just before they left him at his own house, Bobby said wonderingly:

"Why, she does like little boys, doesn't she?"

WINIFRED F. JEWELL, '15.

### LONGING

The gray sea, the azure sea,  
The sea of a thousand shades,  
Spreads to the rim of the world and on,  
And into infinity fades.

The clear moon, the crystal moon  
Rises into the sky,  
And over the sleeping sea stands guard,  
Majestic, still, and high.

The tide fulls, the tide flows  
And the seaweed's shining hands,  
With fingers clammy and sickening cold  
Caress the seething sands.

A day comes, another goes,  
But my heart is dulled with pain;  
The call of the deep is naught to me,  
The lost comes not again.

1915.

### ALUMNI NOTES

1880—Martin P. Judkins is Secretary of the Board of Health of Rockland, Maine. At present the Board is making a thorough canvass of the city to secure better sanitary conditions.

1887—Miss Amy L. Rhodes is Professor of Latin and Greek in the College for Women at Columbia, S. C.

1899—June 5, occurred the marriage of Miss Louise Martin and Mr. Geo. A. Hutchins, Bates, '99, of Rumford. The honeymoon is being spent at the Rangeleys.

1901—Arthur J. Chick is having very good success as principal of Monmouth Academy, Monmouth, Me. During the past spring the academy building has been increased to more than twice its former size.

1907—Bryant W. Griffin has been elected to an excellent position as teacher of History in the Fessenden School, West Newton, Mass.

Charles C. Turner is principal of the High School in Warren, Mass.

1908—Mrs. Edgar Bailey (Ervette Blackstone) has recently moved to Woolwich, Ct.

1911—Alton R. Hodgkins, 1911, and June Atkinson, 1912, were married on Thursday, January 1, at Washington, D. C.

1912—Albert E. Jennings, who for the past two years has been instructor in qualitative analysis and inorganic chemistry at Princeton University, has returned to his home in Auburn for the summer. Mr. Jennings has just received his Master's degree in physical chemistry at the graduate college of Princeton.

The engagement of Miss Hazel E. Howard, Bates 1912, to Dayton G. Vogt of Buffalo, New York, is now announced.

During Commencement Week a number of young women of the class of 1912 will have a house party at the Harlow cottage at Lake Auburn. Among the party will be Miss Florence Gray, Miss Lenora Webber, Miss Abigail Kincaid, Miss Fredrika Hodgdon and Miss Christina Ring.

1913—Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Harms (Aletha Rollins) of Lewiston, will sail for Europe early in July, and, after a summer of travel, will go to Munich for the coming year.



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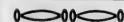
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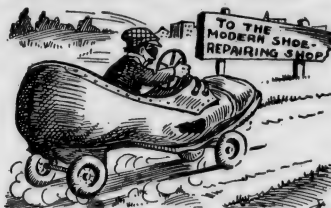
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## COMMENCEMENT DINNER

Commencement dinner at Bates has, from the beginning, been characterized by many unique features. It is understood to be primarily an alumni dinner. But when classes in the first decade of the College numbered eight, five, seven, etc., it was necessary to give to the occasion proper dignity and importance by making it somewhat popular and by inviting numerous friends and sympathetic guests.

This custom has, in its general outline, been maintained down to the present time. For years there has been a strong conviction that the rapid growth of Bates, the large graduating classes, now numbering nearly a hundred each year, and the growing attendance of loyal graduates, demanded a radical change. The commencement dinner, in fact, has come to entail a heavy burden upon the College, requiring the withdrawal annually from its treasury of hundreds of dollars, without yielding any adequate return. Obviously the situation grows more difficult every year and even now it may be called intolerable.

With the celebration of the Semi-Centennial of Bates to be held concurrently with the Commencement of this year, it seems a fitting time to make a greatly needed change. Under the custom that has prevailed till now, the expense for the caterer and the dinner that he provides could not be less this year, with the largely increased attendance of graduates and of distinguished guests, than \$800.

Beyond question, it is improvident and unjustifiable for the college thus to draw upon its none too abundant income. Moreover, the practical inconveniences and the problem of taking care of the number sure to be in attendance, unless restrictive measures are adopted, compel a well considered method of reducing the attendance. The rules adopted

by the executive board are stated below. They cannot but commend themselves to the loyalty and good sense of Bates graduates. They will have the effect, also, of making the dinner more distinctly an affair of the alumni and thus of bringing them into more intimate relations with one another and with their college.

Each trustee, each member of the faculty, and the treasurer shall receive one ticket to the Commencement dinner, and may purchase an additional ticket.

Each officially invited guest shall receive one ticket.

Each member of the graduating class shall receive one ticket, and may purchase an additional ticket.

Each graduate may purchase two tickets.

No additional tickets may be sold, and the price of tickets will be one dollar each.

Orders for tickets, accompanied by checks, should be sent, before June 17, to Miss Nola Houdlette, registrar, Roger Williams Hall, Bates College, Lewiston, Me.

For graduates unable to arrange for their tickets earlier, opportunity will be given to purchase them, so far as accommodations will permit, at the library on Monday and Tuesday of Commencement week, from 9 A.M. to 12 M., and from 1.30 to 5.30 P.M.; and on Wednesday, from 9 to 11.30 A.M.

## JUNIOR EXHIBITION

The Junior Exhibition occurred Wednesday Evening in the New Chapel. Music was furnished by Mr. Barrow, '14, organist; Miss Girouard, '16, violin and Mr. Plummer, bass viol.

MUSIC  
PRAYER  
RESPONSE

I Imagination in Children

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- 12 National Apathy  
ERNEST LEROY SAXTON  
MUSIC

Judges—L. E. Moulton, J. L. Hooper,  
Mrs. E. F. Pierce.

Committee—K. F. Witham, G. B. Moulton, Mildred S. Bassett.

Award of prizes to be announced Commencement Week.

#### THE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Tuesday, June 9th, on Garcelon field, fifteen hundred people saw Bates win the State championship by defeating Bowdoin to the score of 12 to 10 in the most spectacular game of the season. The game was not won until McDonald threw the last man out in the ninth inning.

In past years when two colleges have tied for the championship, a deciding game has not been played. But this year a magnificent cup was offered by the Reach Baseball Company, so it was necessary to play this game, much to the satisfaction of all who saw the contest.

Both teams fought hard, but Bates had the better working nine. Bunting the ball at

opportune times, taking advantage of every misplay on the part of the opponents, and fielding the ball perfectly, our men closed a remarkable season in a manner in keeping with the spring's record. Bowdoin made ten costly errors, and Knight, who pitched his team to victory in the other two games, was obliged to give up his position to Fraser in the middle of the sixth inning.

In winning this game, Captain Coady accomplished one of the big ambitions of his life, namely to win the State championship. Stinson pitched his last college game and up to the fifth inning, when he went into the box injured as the result of a tumble at first, he kept the Bowdoin batters well under control. Lindquist, who took his place in the seventh inning, ended his varsity pitching career as he started it—a winner.

Bates started scoring in the second inning. Fuller hit safely. Moore got a single, and stole second. Both men scored when Knight threw the ball past Eaton into right field. Three more runs were added in the third inning. Talbot got a three-base hit. Coady bunted and made third on LaCasce's error, while Talbot scored. Coady made the next run when Butler hit a sacrifice fly to center field. Fuller hit safely again, and Moore hit to the second baseman who fumbled the ball, thus allowing Fuller to score the fifth run.

In the first half of the fourth inning, Bowdoin scored three runs. In the last half every man on the Bates team batted, bringing in five scores. Four hits, an error, a wild pitch, a base on balls, and Bates had increased her lead to ten.

Then began Bowdoin's uphill fight. Undaunted by the mighty odds against them, they fought so nobly to overcome the lead which our team had won, that Bates realized the fact that a big lead was not victory. In the fifth, Bowdoin made two runs, and three more in the sixth. Bates, in order to make the fight more strenuous for the Bowdoin men, added another score in this inning. Score at the end of the sixth inning: Bates 11; Bowdoin 8.



Lindquist took Stinson's place at this stage of the game. Bowdoin got another run this inning when Chapman hit a two-bagger and scored on Eaton's hit. Bates scored again in the eighth. Bowdoin obtained its last run in the ninth when Chapman made his second two-base hit, and scored on a sacrifice fly. Final score: Bates 12; Bowdoin 10.

The pride which Bates men and women take in this year's team was very apparent in the remarkable celebration held on the evening of the game. Every man and woman turned out and were only too eager to show their appreciation of the wonderful work done this year by Captain Coady and his cup winners.

The summary:

	BATES					
	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Talbot, c.	5	1	2	7	0	1
McDonald, ss.	5	2	1	1	1	0
Coady, 3b.	4	2	2	0	2	0
Fuller, 2b.	4	3	2	1	6	0
Butler, c.f.	4	0	2	0	0	0
Moore, r.f.	5	1	1	1	0	0
Cobb, 1b.	4	0	0	14	0	0
Drake, l.f.	3	2	1	2	0	0
Stinson, p., l.f.	2	1	0	1	1	0
Lindquist, p.	1	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	37	12	11	27	13	1

	BOWDOIN					
	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Phillips, l.f.	5	1	1	2	0	0
Stetson, r.f.	5	0	0	3	0	1
Weatherill, 2b.	4	2	2	1	3	1
McElwee, 3b.	5	1	1	0	1	0
Chapman, ss.	5	3	4	1	1	2
Tuttle, c.f.	4	1	1	2	0	1
Eaton, 1b.	4	1	1	9	0	1
LaCasce, c.	4	0	1	6	3	2
Knight, p.	3	1	1	0	1	2
Fraser, p.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	40	10	13	24	9	10
Bates	0	2	3	5	1	0
Bowdoin	0	0	3	2	3	1

#### The Final College Standing

	WON	LOST	PER CT.
Bates .....	5	2	.714
Bowdoin .....	4	3	.571
Colby .....	2	4	.333
Maine .....	2	4	.333

Y. M. C. A.

At the meeting of the Advisory Board of the Y. M. C. A., Friday afternoon several important phases of the Y. M. C. A. work for the coming year were discussed.

Of chief note was consideration of finding a new secretary. Mr. Rowe, at present field secretary for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, was suggested.

The budget as planned by the committee for next year was accepted. Some time was also spent discussing last year's work.

As this was the last meeting the Northfield trip and delegation were thoroughly planned.

The Advisory Board is composed of Secretary Cushman, Rev. Mr. Temple, chairman, J. L. Reade, Prof. Purinton, Prof. Harms, Saxton, president of the association, E. Harding '15 and R. Merrill '16.

After the meeting of the Advisory Board, the Y. M. C. A. cabinet dined with Secretary and Mrs. Cushman.

#### ICELAND

Mr. W. S. Russell, Bates '95, has presented to the college library his Iceland Horseback Tours in Sagaland, which has just come from the press. Mr. Russell has spent four summers in Iceland engaged in travel, exploration and study. His scientific training and keen powers of observation are of special value in such a country. The book is of decided value as a record of fact particularly of investigation and discovery in hitherto unknown fields. It has besides, a literary charm, both in the author's style and in his frequent appreciative references to the old Sagas. To him who is ignorant of Iceland it will be a revelation and a source of great pleasure. To him who has wandered with Madam Pfeifer, Lord Dufferin and others it will bring a renewed interest, refresh his memory and reveal a progress in the country which he, perhaps, had not expected. The hospitality of the people, their incorruptible virtue, their devotion to liberty and to learning, their mode of life, their literature, the incomparable grandeur of the scenery, the mountains, volcanoes, geysers, lava beds, the awful desolation, the peaceful life, all are vividly presented. The work is a valuable addition to the literature of travel.



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## BATES CALENDAR

### To the Editor of the Student:

The Bates Calendar project is arousing interest, and numerous responses and letters have been received. Think over the plan carefully, and will not each one write some sentiment upon the leaflets in your hand, and make a larger or smaller contribution to the fund proposed?

During Commencement Week will be an excellent time to talk the matter over and for anyone to get the information he or she may desire. The members of the committee, having the matter in charge, are all planning to be at Commencement, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Your Committee makes the following suggestions:

(1) That classes or groups combine, and unite in their contributions, and make those contributions, if they wish, for some definite object.

(2) Remember also to write some sentiment upon some one of the leaflets in your hands, to be read 50 or 100 years hence, and pass the extra leaflets around among your friends, and ask them to do the same.

(3) Many may be thinking of some memorial they would like to give to the College, but the fund would be so small, that they hesitate to make a distinctive fund to be used now. To those, think of this, that \$50 given now to the Calendar fund, would amount to \$3000, one hundred years from now and would be a respectable memorial from that time on.

(4) Think over the plan carefully, and remember that no amounts are asked for that would in any way cripple your contributions to the College for its use at the present time.

W. B. KENDALL, *Chairman.*

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## LOCALS

Among the house guests of President Chase and daughters, during Commencement week, will be Congressman and Mrs. McCall of Massachusetts, President Lowell of Harvard, President Faunce of Brown, Hon. and Mrs. Carl E. Milliken of Island Falls, and Mrs. F. H. Jose and Miss Millett of Portland.

Dr. Thompson and family of Hartford, Conn., will be entertained in the home of Prof. and Mrs. George M. Chase, Frye street.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Britan, Prof. and Mrs. F. A. Knapp and Prof. and Mrs. H. R. Purinton will also entertain guests through the week.

It has practically been decided to change the hour of the historical pageant from late afternoon until evening, Tuesday, and have the organ recital by Miss Florence A. Wells in the afternoon.

Rev. F. W. Oakes, Bates, 1888, who is a prominent Episcopal rector in Denver, Colorado, was the guest of Mrs. Addison Small in Lewiston, Saturday, and may return for the semi-centennial. Mr. Oakes came East for the graduation of his daughter from Dana Hall. He also has a son in Yale.



Bates '99 are to celebrate their fifteenth reunion, Thursday forenoon, June 25, with Prof. Stanton as their special guest.

Ivy Day was instituted by the class of 1879. Thus the first Ivy Day was held just thirty-six years ago, on June 12, 1878. This class plans to be on hand in full force at Commencement, being its thirty-fifth anniversary and eighth class reunion. Plans are made for a three days' meet, ending with a banquet at the Casino, Riverton Park, Portland, June 25th.

All those desiring to attend the Pageant, Tuesday evening, should obtain tickets before that date. These are free, the committee merely wishes to make plans to make accommodations for everyone possible.

#### IVY DAY PROGRAM

Ivy Day exercises were held in Hathorn Hall, Thursday afternoon, June 11.

The program:

Prayer	MUSIC	Chaplain
Oration	MUSIC	George B. Gustin
Ivy Day Poem		Frances V. Bryant
	MUSIC	
	TOASTS	
"The Faculty"		Elizabeth M. Wood
"Social Life"		M. Esther Wadsworth
"Co-Eds"		Henry P. Mullen
"Our Boys"		Mabel C. Durgan
"Our Victories"		Howard M. Wight
"Prophecy"		Cecilia F. Walsh

#### IVY ODE

*Tune: "Comrades"*

'Tis the glory of the springtime, splendor  
streams on hallowed walls;  
Light our hearts and bright our visions; o'er  
our paths no shadow falls.  
Alma Mater, hear our greeting, consecrate  
our gift, we pray;  
As a pledge of love unfailing, we the ivy  
plant to-day.  
Springtime, glad time, days of our golden  
dreams,  
Merrily rings our chorus, brightly our path-  
way gleams;

Here's to the dreams of our youth, then;  
here's to the memories that stay;  
Here's to the token of friendships unbroken,  
the ivy for aye.

When the years are changing places, and the  
spring o' life has flown,  
And a million clinging tendrils round these  
barren walls have grown,  
May our friendships never falter, dearest  
visions still prove true;  
May we gather at this alter, pledge our sacred  
faith anew.

Ivy, ivy, list to our song today  
Gifts of our golden friendships here at thy  
shrine we lay.  
What tho the summer may vanish, what tho  
the shadows be gray,  
Carols we'll raise to the glory and praise of  
Batesina for aye.

—MARION R. COLE.

#### CLASS ODE

*Tune: "Heidelberg"*

Pleasure and happiness fill our hearts  
In this hour of warm devotion,  
When every moment its joys imparts  
On campus, Field, and hall.  
But sad are the thoughts of the parting year  
And the days of soft emotion;  
Yet though they be sad  
We shall e'er be glad  
When our song of youth we hear.

#### CHORUS

Here's to the joys o' the parting year,  
Here's to the ivy crown;  
Here's to the mem'ries sweet and dear,  
Here's to the cap and gown;  
Here's to the sparkling cup of youth,  
Here's to the welcome care,  
Here's to the class of faith and truth,  
Here's to the fifteen fair.

Sweet are the mem'ries of friendship dear,  
And the prowess of College glory;  
Sweet are the vict'ries and loud the cheer  
Which long will haunt our hearts.



But sweeter is happiness mingled with care,  
And the strife for nobler story.  
Come then let us fight,  
All stand for the right,  
And sing to our fifteen fair.

CHORUS

—COSTAS STEPHANIS

### CLASS POEM

Music of melting harmony, exquisite,  
Welling and rising, dying low and sweet,  
Breathing in notes of passion and of prayer,  
Softens tenderly to a minor key.  
Then with wild outburst of rich song  
Rising triumphant in majestic strains  
Swelling in deep and throbbing ecstasy  
Trembles and vibrates till the crystal spheres,  
In space unfathomed thrill with answering bliss.

Heaven spoke to earth in grand and solemn strains,  
That echo down the labyrinth of time.  
Clinging and lingering with caressing tone,  
Finding an answering chord to each refrain.

Uncounted lies the vast expanse of time,  
Unmeasured by the slowly settling sands  
Of ancient hour glass, worlds came and passed

Into the abyss of infinity and till the heavenly song  
With notes unnumbered echoed the earth till found by man.

The pearls of melody to him seemed unstrung  
And strewn with careless hand, and so unskilled,

But confident, he assayed in strings of harmony

To arrange the gems, that each in rightful place,

Should form a chain of melody complete  
That man in years to come should ne'er forget.

Wearisome was the toil,  
The threads of martial steel and luxurious gold  
Snapped like a web weighted with sudden rain,

Scattering the pearls in discord yet more wild.  
Long years it was before he learned that war,  
Fame, and wealth have no part in a song divine,

At length impatient with his endless task,  
Wearied and heartsick by the fruitless hope  
Of shaping to his will the immortal song, he turned

To love and friendship for his fellowman.  
No longer did the pearls of melody  
Seem scattered in an aimless way  
But each to each was joined in union consonant,  
Forming the nine-fold sympathy of life.

The wildwood note of mating bird and chattering young,

The lapping tinkle of the hurrying brook  
The sweet, unnoticed sounds of growing things,

The pretty triumphs and the deeper joys of men,

Upon the silver clef of friendship blend,  
With all the harsher notes of toil and strife,  
The pain and agony of life and death,  
Into an echoing anthem of grand harmony,  
With dominant seventh chord of trust and hope,

The fitting postlude of creation's song,  
The glorious prelude of a grander song to be.

—FRANCES V. BRYANT '15

### CLASS OFFICERS

*President*—George K. Talbot.

*Vice-President*—Ida B. Currie.

*Secretary*—Ruby M. Wheeler.

*Treasurer*—W. Welcome McCullough.

*Toastmaster*—E. Leroy Saxton.

*Chaplain*—Earle A. Harding.

*Marshal*—Ernest M. Gerry.

*Ivy Day Committee*—Earle R. Clifford,  
William F. Manuel, Louis Jordan, Pearl F. Wheeler.

### STEPHENS HIGH WINS

The final contest of the Bates College Interscholastic Debating League was held in Assembly Room, Hathorn Hall, last Friday evening, between Leavitt Institute and Stephens High School. A very good audience was in attendance and all contestants received appreciative support.



Music was furnished by the Lewiston High orchestra. The judges were: Prof. J. M. Carroll, Prof. C. E. Turner and Prof. W. W. Jamison. E. A. Harding '15 and G. B. Gustin '15 acted as timekeepers. Prof. A. C. Baird presided. Prayer was offered by E. L. Saxton '15.

The question contested was: "Resolved: That further material increases in the United States Navy are desirable." Stephens High, in upholding the affirmative, was represented by Merle Wescott, Russell Taylor, Nahum Moore. C. N. Gould, F. A. Thomas and F. B. Quimby upheld the negative for Leavitt Institute. R. J. Dyer was alternate for the negative.

Each speaker was allowed ten minutes for constructive argument and four minutes for rebuttal.

The decision of the judges was made by ballot without consultation and resulted in favor of the affirmative two to one.

Stephens High was thus declared champion of the league and presented the trophy cup, which was the gift of George V. Turgeon of Lewiston.

#### CLASS ELECTIONS

The Junior Class held its election of officers for 1915 last Wednesday.

*President*—Mr. Manuel.

*Vice-President*—Miss Hilton.

*Secretary*—Miss Jewell.

*Treasurer*—Mr. Jordan.

*Class Marshal*—Mr. J. L. Meader.

The officers of the Sophomore Class for 1915 are:

*President*—Mr. Boothby.

*Vice-President*—Miss Cole.

*Secretary*—Miss Harding.

*Treasurer*—Mr. Goba.

The officers of the Freshman Class for 1915 are:

*President*—Mr. Lane.

*Vice-President*—Miss New nan.

*Secretary*—Miss Manchester.

*Treasurer*—Mr. Bacon.

#### MAYTIME

Dearest, come with me, the maytime is hailing,  
Blue is the sky and mild is the air;  
White pearly cloudlets thru azure are sailing,—

Come, dearest, come, the day is so fair.

Out of the smoky and dusty confinement,  
Out of the rumble and rush of the street;  
Away from false tones and jarring refinement,—

Out in the open the birds sing so sweet.

Come dearest, come now, life's spring time is flying,

Sweet summer's roses are quickly past;  
Autumnal winds, too, soon will be sighing,  
Night time and snow, chant requiem last.

Come now, come dearest, in meadows and woodlands

Merrily, cheerily, children to-day—

Twining our brows once more with spring garlands,

Happily youthful this morning of May.

Playful spring breezes thy ringlets are swaying,

Kissing thy cheeks till as roses they glow,  
Give me thy hand, we're off for the Maying,  
Nature and we will be one as we go.

Dearest, come with me, the Maytime is hailing,

Blue is the sky and mild is the air,

White pearly cloudlets thru azure are sailing,

Come, dearest, come now, the day is so fair.

J. G., '16.

#### JUNIOR GIRLS CHAMPIONS

With the overwhelming defeat of the Sophomore girls, the Juniors became the champions in baseball. The final score was 16 to 12. The Junior team consisted of the Misses Mills, pitcher; Bassett, 1st base; Roberts, 2d base; Wadsworth, shortstop; Durgan, 3d base; Page, right field; Gertrude Merrill, left field; Capt. Bryant, catcher. The girls of 1915 have not only shown themselves to be champions in baseball but in the series of basketball games they carried off first honors, making them champions in two of the three major branches of athletics, baseball and basketball. Now they are making plans to capture the championship in hockey another fall.



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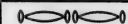
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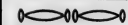
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## SENIOR PLAY

The Greek play, "Alcestis" was presented by the Senior class Monday evening on the steps of Coram Library. The setting was admirably suited to the play as the action is supposed to take place in front of the house of Admetus.

The cast of characters was: Apollo, Nicholas Andronis; Admetus, Clarence Dyer; Alcestis, his wife, Edith George; two children, Edwin Roberts, Helen Chase; attendants, Karl Lee, Aubrey Tabor, Dora Norton, Rebecca Estey; Hercules, Charles Beek; death, Herbert Hamilton; chorus: men, Charles Marsden, Chas. Hadley, Fred Kierstead, leaders; Lloyd Ham, Lyman Cox, Joshua Moulton; women, Helena Blethen, Carrie Freeze, Geneva Sturtevant, Ruth Morey, Alice Wandtke, Helen Humiston, Mona Garcelon, Marion Lougee.

Synopsis: Forced to give his life to the gods or find a substitute, Admetus, the wealthy Greek, has found his substitute in his beautiful wife, Alcestis, who willingly offers to go the lower world for her husband. Apollo tries to dissuade Death, but Death says the hallowed person "is sacred to the Gods below."

The chorus on either side of the entrance to the house discuss the circumstances and enlighten the audience from time to time.

Alcestis bids farewell to her children and consigns them to Admetus' care, dying in his arms and leaving the grief-stricken household for the tomb.

Hercules, visiting the household, is enlightened by an attendant as to the state of affairs, and goes to cope with Death. He returns with a veiled woman whom he asks Admetus to accept into his household as his wife. Admetus refuses to take another wife in Alcestis' stead. Hercules joins Admetus' and the woman's hands and reveals Alcestis, whom he has rescued from Death, himself. Admetus' joy is unbounded and he bids the people make

merry and celebrate the return of Alcestis from the gloomy nether world.

Six of the women of the chorus respond with a charming dance in Greek costume.

The electrical display was carefully planned and was exceptionally good. A spot light followed the center of action thruout the play. The costumes were all after the Greek costume of dress and in various colors.

The play was under the management of Professor Robinson and from the hearty cooperation of all concerned was a complete success.

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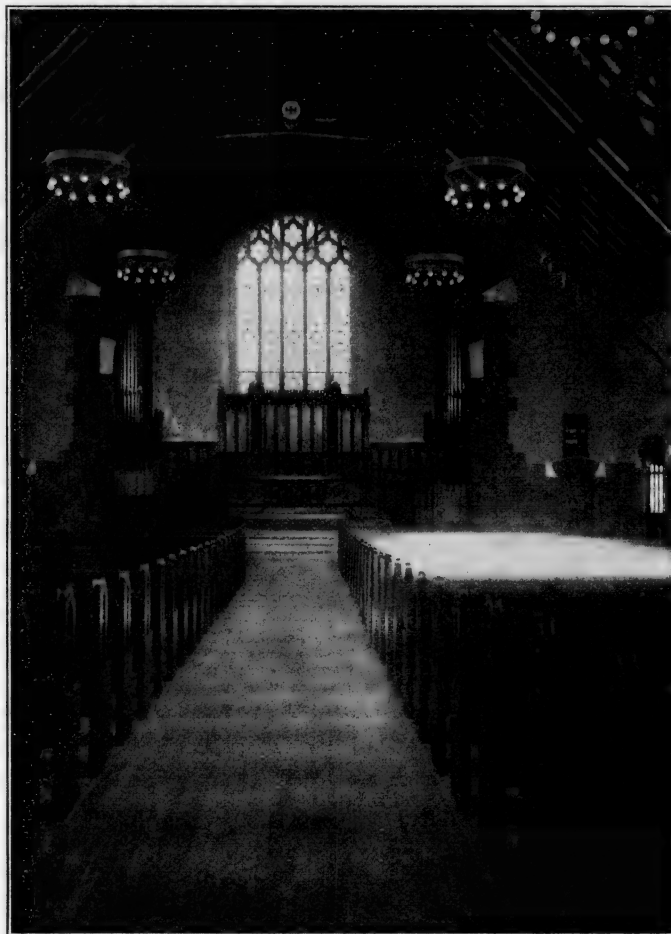
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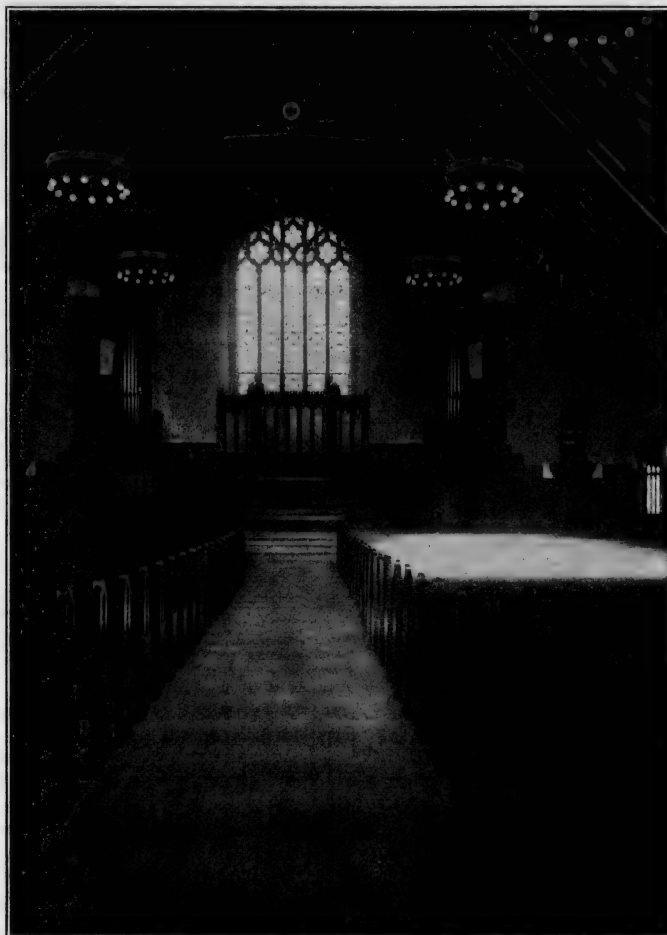
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## TRACK TEAM

Our track team was very weak this year. The Freshman class naturally could not fill the gap made by the departing class of 1913. The loss of those Sophomores who were on probation also weakened our team very materially. Drew, the pole vaulter, could easily have taken a point in the Maine meet, if not first place. Boyd in the broad jump and quarter mile, Kennedy in the quarter and half mile, and Stillman in the hurdles and weights might have given us a different position than last place. Several other Sophomores, who were taken off probation just before the meet, would have been point winners had the ban been lifted sufficiently early for them to get into condition for the meet. Moreover, Coach Lathrop was sick much of the time and when he was able to be on the field, he could not work with his team, as he has in past years.

The State Meet, which was held here this year, was the only meet in which our team had a chance to compete with other teams. Obviously, only the very best can place in this meet. Four of our men won points. Captain Nevers took second place in the 100- and 220-yard dashes. Small, our next year's captain, took third in the same events. A. Cobb, our freshman star athlete, won first place in the shot put, and Drake won half a point in the high jump.

This year's graduation class takes out Nevers and Drake, so that our team next year will have to be made up almost entirely from inexperienced men.

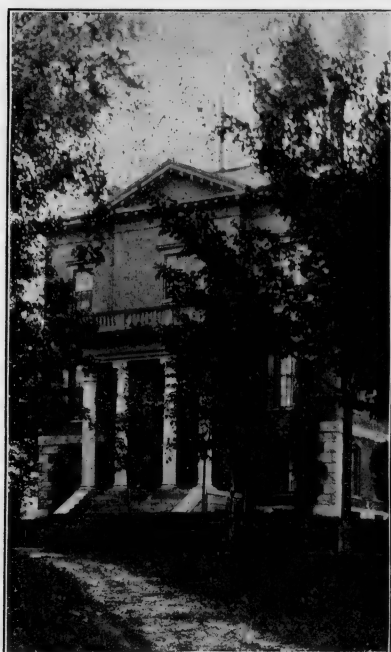
So far we have only two meets scheduled for the coming year: a dual meet with U. of M., which was postponed this year on account of rain, and the State Meet, which will be held at Colby. Besides these there is a possibility of a meet with Bowdoin, to come before the others. These two dual meets will give our men an opportunity for strong competition and very valuable experience, so that when the big meet comes our team will have been materially strengthened and fully prepared to give our rivals a good fight.



CLASS DAY EXERCISES

Under a perfect sky, the class day exercises were held upon the green beneath the shade of the campus trees directly in front of Hathorn Hall. The program was as follows:

Prayer	MUSIC	Chaplain
	MUSIC	



Oration—"The College Man as a Citizen"	Donald B. Partridge
Class Day Poem	Marion R. Sanborn
History	Marion E. Lord
	MUSIC
Address to Undergraduates	Karl D. Lee
Address to Halls and Campus	Kempton J. Coady
	MUSIC
Prophecy for Women	Dora C. Tash
Prophecy for Men	Louis R. Sullivan
Farewell Address	Eugene H. Drake

CLASS ODE

Pipe Oration	Hazen R. Nevers
Pipe of Peace	
MUSIC	

Y. M. C. A.

The work of the Y. M. C. A. culminated in the departure of the Northfield delegation. Secretary Cushman, accompanied by 6 men, left Lewiston last Saturday morning. The latest reports say that they are getting along well and have satisfactorily established the "Bates" quarters.

At a recent meeting of the Advisory Board of the Y. M. C. A., several plans for the work of next year were discussed. Mr. Rowe, travelling secretary for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, was mentioned as successor to Mr. Cushman. Some discussion was made regarding the work of this year, and in the light of experience, plans were formulated for 1914-1915.

The New Student Committee has begun its work of assigning the Freshmen to the old members for summer correspondence. This plan has been very successful in the past few years, as the testimony of those classes who received this attention, shows.

REVIEW OF THE BASEBALL SEASON

We have just closed one of the most successful baseball seasons that Bates ever had. For the first time in years Bates won the State championship in the State series, two from Colby and two from Maine. The next two we dropped to Bowdoin; but our team, led so nobly by Captain Coady, "came back" and won from Bowdoin the contest that decided the championship.

Out of the seventeen games played Bates won eleven. We held Harvard, 2 to 1, and Tufts, 2 to 0. We won two games from the strong New Hampshire state team by the



scores of 1-0 and 4-3. Out of the four games (one exhibition) played with Bowdoin, we won two. The Portland N. E. League ran up the largest score against Bates (15-1). Portland had been losing many preliminary games and the regulars were sent in to get revenge from our team. In all, Bates secured 87 scores, while our opponents got 64. The fielding and batting averages of our team lead those of all the Maine colleges.

Stinson. But with the varsity men still with us and some good preparatory school men in view, our baseball prospects for the coming year point to another state championship.

#### VESPER SERVICES

Last Sunday evening at 8 o'clock Vesper Services were held in the chapel. Owing to the illness of Rev. F. E. Emrich, who was to have spoken on "Reminiscences," the ad-



By graduation we lose Captain Coady, who has been our third baseman for four years; both of our pitchers, Lindquist and Stinson; Cobb, first baseman; and Drake, left fielder. The remaining men ought to form the nucleus of a winning team for next year. Talbot, recently chosen as all-Maine catcher, has been elected captain for next year. He excels in his ability to bat and in his fighting spirit. Fuller, our hard-hitting, peppery second baseman, will also be available. The other veterans are: "Three-bagger" Butler, center fielder; McDonald, shortstop; Moore, right fielder; and Davis, left fielder. Marston and Lord, two unlucky sophomores, will be able to play next year and ought to make good men. In our pitching staff we will be weak if the freshman class does not bring with it someone to take the place of Lindquist and

dress was given by Rev. A. W. Jefferson of Portland. The order of service and the special music was as follows:

Prelude	<i>Dvorak</i>
Anthem: Sing, O Daughters of Zion	<i>Button</i>
Invocation	
Solo: Pilgrim's Song	<i>Tchaikowsky</i>
MISS SANDS	
Reading of Scripture	
Anthem: Light of the World	<i>Nevin</i>
Prayer	
Response	
Address	
REV. A. W. JEFFERSON	
Solo: How lovely are Thy Dwellings	<i>Little</i>
Benediction	
Postlude	<i>Wely</i>



## ALUMNI NOTES

1872—On Friday, June 5, occurred the death of Rev. Theodore G. Wilder of Tilton, N. H.

1882—Rev. Charles Edward Mason has been pastor of the Congregational Church at Mountain Home, Idaho, since 1897.

1883—Edward J. Hatch is a practicing attorney, located in City Hall, Omaha, Neb.

1887—Ira A. Jenkins is principal of the high school in Foxboro, Mass.,

1895—The engagement of Miss Maude L. Furbush and Dr. William W. Bolster, both of Lewiston, has just been announced. Dr. Bolster graduated from Bates in the class of 1895.

1899—Cora E. Edgerly of Portland is chairman of the committee of arrangements for the reunion of the class of 1899.

1905—Mrs. Bradford H. Robbins (Clara May Davis) of Minneapolis, Minn., is a commencement visitor at Bates.

1908—Thomas S. Bridges has been elected principal of Lee Normal Academy at Lee, Me. Mr. Bridges has just completed his law studies at Harvard.

1909—The marriage of Olive Mary Laselle and Isaac G. Cochran of Worcester, Mass., took place June 18, at the rectory of St. Leo's parish in Leominster, Mass. Mr. Cochran is a department foreman with the American Steel and Wire Co., of Worcester, Mass. They will be at home in Worcester after September 1.

Chas. Roseland of San Francisco, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Marston of Auburn.

1910—Delbert E. Andrews is to begin his duties at Bates as Superintendent of Grounds and Buildings on July 1. He and Mrs. Andrews are at commencement.

Miss Grace Archibald is instructor in physical training for women in the Univer-

sity of Minnesota. The University has about 6,000 students, many of whom are women.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Howard are to be on duty through the summer at the Northampton State Hospital for the Insane, at Northampton, Mass.

1911—Miss Hazel Barnard has returned to her home in Lewiston after a successful year as instructor of Latin and French at Leavitt Institute, Turner. Miss Barnard is to be an instructor at Edward Little High School, Auburn, next year.

The wedding of Edna M. Jenkins and Leon Roy McKusick, both of the class of 1911, will take place on Thursday evening, July 2, at the bride's home in Foxboro, Mass.

1912—Clinton Bonney is to enter Columbia University next fall.

Wilhelmina I. Noyes, who has been teaching in Lee Normal Academy, has resigned her position to take one in the Island Falls High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Rowe have a little daughter, Ruth Margaret.

1913—The marriage of Miss Mary Holmes and Joseph Linehan occurred Wednesday, June 24. Both bride and groom are members of the class of 1913.

Miss Amy Weeks has returned home from Willimantic, Conn., where she is a teacher in the high school. Miss Weeks is to spend the summer in Auburn and will return to Willimantic in the fall.

Ray Shepard, who has been athletic director at Westbrook Seminary, will teach next year at M. C. I., Pittsfield, Me.

Kathleen Tuttle plans to teach next year in Islesboro, where she has been during the past year. She will spend the summer in Belfast, Me.



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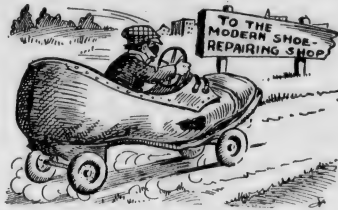
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## Y. M. C. A. MEETING

The first regular meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association, Wednesday evening, September 30th, was a very interesting and enthusiastic one. The president, Mr. E. L. Saxton, gave a brief and earnest talk on the subject, "A Man's Job." He pointed out, clearly, from a student's point of view, that, to live a life of character and earnestness, taking the life of Christ as a pattern, is not school boys' play; but that it is an undertaking which requires every manly characteristic that is possible for a young man to cultivate. He contrasted the clearness of the duty of the young convert in India with the vagueness of the correct line of conduct for a Christian in college. Mr. Saxton, by a number of illustrations from college life, showed that it is best that every new student in college should let the other men know at the first just where he stands in regard to religion and manliness.

There were about sixty present at the meeting. Many new men were there and a number of them allied themselves with the society.

The death of Miss Pearl F. Wheeler just before the opening of college this fall, came as a great shock to the members of her class, and to the college as a whole. Miss Wheeler, who was a member of the class of 1915, was a resident of the city. She was a conscientious and promising student, standing high in her college work. She enjoyed the friendship and respect of the students who knew her, and the confidence of her teachers. Her sunny disposition and kind and courteous manner won for her many friends. She was a thorough Christian woman with high ideals and high standards of life and her loss is keenly felt among her friends and college associates.

## RECEPTION TO 1918

Friday evening, September twenty-fifth, a reception was given in honor of the entering class by the Y. W. and Y. M. C. A. at Fiske Room, Rand Hall. During the first part of the evening a receiving line was formed. The line included President Chase and daughter Caroline, Dean Buswell, Prof. and Mrs. Coleman, Professor Ross, Secretary Rowe and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Andrews, President of the Y. W. C. A., Miss Wadsworth, '15, and President of Y. M. C. A. Mr. Saxton, '15.

The following program was enjoyed by those present:

Music	Orchestra
Address of Welcome	President Chase
Piano Solo	Miss Hilton, '15
Welcome	Miss Wadsworth, '15
Reading	Mr. Carey, '15
Address	Mr. Rowe
Welcome	Mr. Saxton, '15
Music	Orchestra

## Bates Song

After the program refreshments were served, consisting of punch, ice cream and cake.

## Y. W. C. A. RECEPTION

The women of the class of 1918 were most cordially welcomed to the college life at the reception given them on Mount David on Thursday afternoon. The affair was, as usual, most informal. Miss Wadsworth, as president of the Young Women's Christian Association, Dean Buswell, and Mrs. George Chase gave short addresses of welcome. These were followed by short speeches, explaining the various phases of Bates life for women, given by Miss Newman, '17, Miss Durgin, '15, Miss Kane, '16, and Miss Mitchell, '16.



## HARVARD 44, BATES 0

Bates opened her football season September 27th at Cambridge with the strong Harvard team as her opponent. There are many factors to be considered when accounting for this overwhelming defeat of 44 to 0. First, our team is comparatively green. Out of the nineteen players used, only six of them were veterans. Secondly, the eleven is very much lighter than the team that held Harvard to the score of 14-0 last year. Thirdly, Bates made several very costly fumbles. Once Bates made first down through Harvard's right guard, for over thirty-five yards, and another time on forward pass. The game was clean throughout, and no one was injured sufficiently to require a substitute. Our men were greatly impressed by the fine sportsmanship of the Harvard team. The line-up:

BATES	HARVARD
W. Neville, J. Neville, r.e.	
Manuel, E. Clifford, r.t.	l.e., Coolidge, Weatherhead
	l.t., D. Morgan, Curtis
Russell, Shattuck, Gustin, r.g.	
	l.g., Withington, Underwood
Harding; Johnson, c.,	c., Soucy, Bigelow
Moore; l.f.	r.g., Pennock, Weston
S. Clifford, Timms, l.t.	
	r.t., Trumbull, Sweetzer
Swift, Boyd, l.e.	r.e., Hardwick, Smith
Talbot, Davis, q.b.	q.b., Logan, Watson
Deweaver, r.h.b.	l.h.b., Mahan, McKinloch
Keaney, l.h.b.	r.h.b., Bradlee, Douglass
Butler, f.b.	f.b., Buckley, Rollins

## SOPHOMORE-FRESHMEN BASEBALL GAME

The Sophomores defeated the Freshmen, Monday, Sept. 28th, by the score of 9 to 3, in the annual interclass baseball game. Both teams played good baseball and several promising players were discovered in the Freshman team. Winslow pitched well for the Sophomores and allowed only three hits. Fowler and Davidson worked in the box for

the Freshmen. Butler, '17, got a three-base hit, and Davis, '17, a two-base hit.

## Summary:

	r h e
Sophomores . . . . .	1 0 3 0 0 1 4—9 7 2
Freshmen . . . . .	1 0 0 1 0 0 1—3 3 4

Hits—Off Fowler, 4 in 3 innings; off Davidson, 3 in 4; off Winslow, 3. Struck out—by Winslow 9, by Davidson 4, by Fowler 4. Umpire—Talbot.

## THE TUFTS GAME

Bates, with a crippled team, was defeated by Tufts at Medford last Saturday by the score of 61 to 7. Talbot, Harding and Keaney, all varsity men, were unable to play on account of injuries; and in the first five minutes of play Captain Moore wrenched his knee and had to leave the field. This left a weakened and, for the most part, inexperienced team to play the game. Drew, Stettbacher and Roberts were in the line-up for the first time.

The most spectacular feature of the game was a 99-yard run by Davis. With five minutes left to play, Tufts had the ball on the Bates' one-yard line. Tufts fumbled, and Davis picked up the ball. With Angell, Tufts' fullback, in pursuit, Davis dashed across the field for a touchdown. About half way down Angell dove for Davis and just missed him.

BATES	TUFTS
Swift, W. Neville, r.e.	l.e., Stankard, Johnson, Nellis
Manuel, r.t.	l.t., O'Donnell, Sprunt
Russel, Johnson, J. Neville, r.g.	l.t., Schlotterbeck, Tobin
Roberts, c.	c., Richardson, Robbins
Moore, Gustin, l.g.	r.g., Thorndike, Brown
Clifford, Stillman, l.t.	r.t., Turner, Abbot
J. Neville, Witham, Boyd, l.e.	
	r.e., Mason, Sanborn, Bennett, Gore
Davis, Pidgeon, q.b.	q.b., Parks, Bratt, Whitney
Curtin, Drew, r.h.b.	l.h.b., Hadley, Nash
Deweaver, l.h.b.	
	r.h.b., Hawker, Wescott, Teel
Butler, Stettbacher, f.b.	f.b., Angell, Olsen



## FOOTBALL REVIEW

In looking back over the work of our team thus far this season, there is no great cause for despondency. It must be remembered that our season opened with opponents who have been practising faithfully a greater part of the summer, and who are reputed to have the strongest teams in New England.

Our team is just beginning to profit by the experience that real work gives, so that the future will be the real record by which our men must be judged.

No college team can do its best work unless it feels that it has the whole support of every student. We have the best of intentions, but our men are not able to feel this backing unless we are able to make the spirit apparent. If every man would take advantage of every opportunity to give the team a cheer—on the field in practice—in the Commons—but most important of all—attend every one of the games and root until hoarseness comes, then the team will fight with the spirit exalted in our college song, "We have known defeat and victory, but Bates men have never been known to yield."

## TRACK DEPARTMENT

Captain Ernest Small and his squad were very much grieved to hear of former Coach Lathrop's collapse at the Harvard Summer School. His illness of last year was so severe that many of the men doubted whether he would be able to carry on his work in the future. He had only coached for a few days at Harvard before the break down came, so that "Jim" was compelled to give up all thought of doing any active work for some time to come.

Our new coach, Mr. Morrell, is a graduate of Bowdoin Medical School, and was a very successful coach at Bowdoin when its track department had reached a very high standard. While in Medical School Mr. Morrell was frequently the starter for our inter-class meets.

On Monday the squad had its first opportunity of meeting the new coach, and he was very much pleased by the calibre of the cross-country men who have turned out. His apportionment of work for the first day con-

vinced the men that he means business, and at the same time knows the coaching game thoroughly.

## FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

## SEASON 1914

Sept. 26—Harvard at Cambridge.  
Oct. 3—Tufts at Medford.  
Oct. 10—Fort McKinley at Lewiston.  
Oct. 17—New Hampshire College at Lewiston.  
Oct. 24—University of Maine at Lewiston.  
Oct. 31—Bowdoin at Brunswick.  
Nov. 7—Colby at Waterville.  
Coach—Royce D. Purinton.  
Field Coach—Roger A. Greene.  
Captain—E. M. Moore.  
Manager—G. B. Moulton.  
Assistant Managers—R. P. Boothby, K. A. Bright.

## GARDINER H. S. 6, BATES 2ND 0

Gardiner High School defeated Bates 2nd Team last Saturday, 6 to 0. Although the second team was heavier it was no match for the fast and well organized Gardiner team which has been ably coached by George Kerr of Bates. Because of lack of team work Bates 2nd was unable to advance the ball. The team was composed of: Sullivan, r.e.; Clifford, r.t.; McCann, r.g.; Spratt, c.; Crocker, l.g.; Shattuck, l.t.; Murray, l.e.; Merrill, q.b.; Arata, r.h.b.; Timms, f.b.; Rankins, l.h.b.

## DR. SEERLEY'S LECTURES.

Saturday and Sunday of this week, Oct. 10 and 11, Dr. F. N. Seerley of the Y. M. C. A. College, of Springfield, Mass., will deliver a series of lectures before the young men of the college. For the past few years Dr. Seerley has been procured to deliver a course of lectures, which has proven to be of great educational value. Those who have heard Dr. Seerley will not fail to attend, and those who have not heard him cannot afford to miss this opportunity. Let every man in the student body be present and get the personality of this man who is a friend of Bates.



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## NINETEEN EIGHTEEN

To the class of 1918 the BATES STUDENT gives its heartiest greeting and good wishes for four years of hard and successful work. It has come to Bates at a notable period of its development and should strive to leave its imprint on that development. In doing this, each man and woman in the class should understand that he or she has an equal chance with every other member and has it in his own power to make good. But there are a few things which are gained from experience, that the upperclassmen would like to bring to the notice of the members of the entering class.

In the first place, Freshmen, you are now free, in a small world where there is nothing but your own ideals to guide you in what is best. You have entered a new system of training and must strain every power to stand with self-control the test of freedom. It takes a strong personality to weather the storm, but he who wins in these things, wins for Bates.

In the second place, you are here to study. This does not mean that you are here to grind. You are here to study in a way that will train you in discipline, a thing which must be acquired in order that you may make the most of life. You should remember that your happiness and success here depends on your standing at the Registrar's Office. In a short time you will be put to the test of mid-semester examinations. If you pass them satisfactorily, you may go on with whatever activities you may choose; if you fail, you have broken training in every department of college activity which may attract you. Then you are debarred from all competition and have broken a mental training as disgracefully as you can break an athletic training.

In the third place, stand out by yourselves and show yourself to be individual. Always keep before you the fact, that while your studies must be first, they are not all. Go out for some one thing. Choose one of the many college activities which is really of interest to you, otherwise, you will fail. Splurging here and there and making good nowhere is nearly as bad as not trying at all.

In the fourth place do one thing at a time and you will never have need to wonder why your studies are suffering. This may seem a prosaic way of doing things, but it is the way that has proved itself right. Your success depends much upon your concentration of attention and your earnestness of purpose.

Lastly, make all the friends you can. Whatever may have been the spirit of Bates in the past, it is not now a refuge for indifferent and careless students.

## BATES AND THE BIBLE

Bates College men are definitely interested in the study of the Bible. For several years under the direction of the Young Men's Christian Association, successful work has been done along the line of voluntary study classes. The report for 1913-14 showed a particularly encouraging state of affairs. Courses were presented in "The Manhood of the Master" and "The Will of God." Students and faculty members served as leaders of the campus classes. Dr. Purinton and Secretary Cushman conducted successful and stimulating Normal Groups. The classes



numbered 15 with an enrollment of 152 and an average attendance of 59.1 %.

Plans are now well matured to make the Bible Study program for 1914-15 a success. Two courses will be offered: "Students' Standards of Action" and a course adapted from "Social Significance of the Teachings of Jesus." Thursday will be observed as Bible Study Day at Bates. George R. Stair of Portland, an old Y. M. C. A. man, will lead chapel and speak again to the men at the Conference Hour. Definite announcement will then be made as to courses, leaders, hours for classes, etc.

#### SPOFFORD

The first meeting of Spofford Club was held on Thursday evening. Five new members were welcomed to membership. After a short business session, a literary program was enjoyed. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: President, Mr. Carey, '15; Vice-President, Miss Durgin, '15; Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Mitchell, '16.

#### TO GRADUATES

The Library wishes to obtain a copy of the STUDENT for June, 1911, for binding. This is not the Commencement Number, issued June 27, 1911, but the regular June issue, bearing the imprint Vol. XL., No. 6. Any graduate who can supply the missing number will confer a great favor on the Library by sending it to the Librarian, Mrs. B. W. Roberts.

#### Y. W. C. A.

The first meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held Thursday evening in Fiske Room, with Miss Wadsworth, '15, as leader. The subject for the evening was "Kinship." Miss Wadsworth also gave, for the benefit of the new girls, a brief outline of College Y. W. C. A. work. A vocal solo was pleasingly rendered by Miss Berry, '17.

#### NEW FACULTY MEMBERS

Bates is fortunate in securing Mr. William H. Colman, A.B., A.M., as instructor of English. Mr. Coleman received his A.B. degree from Acadia College and his A.M. degree from Yale. Last year he held the position as head of the department in English of the North Adams High School.

Mr. Roy Ross from Tennessee, who is substituting for Professor Harms during his leave of absence, is a graduate of Yale, 1911, and a member of the Phi Beta Kappa of that institution. Mr. Ross has travelled abroad extensively and has taught in Crote, a boys' school, in Munich.

Mr. Harry Rowe, Bates 1912, who was District Superintendent of the Christian Endeavor last year, is now acting as secretary of Bates Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Delbert Andrews has been secured to take charge of the college grounds and buildings. Mr. Andrews was a graduate of Bates, 1910, and was formerly in charge of the boys at Moses Brown School on Providence, R. I.

Miss Ethel B. Cutts succeeds Miss Curtis as secretary to the Dean. Miss Cutts graduated from Bates, 1913, and for the last year has been connected with the Y. W. C. A. of Haverhill, Mass.

Mr. Harold Smith, Bates 1914, is graduate assistant in Geology for the ensuing year.

Mr. Warren Watson, Bates, 1911, has been secured as instructor of chemistry. Mr. Watson has had considerable experience, having taken graduate work at Harvard.

#### WALKING CLUB

Saturday afternoon, the Walking Club will commence its season by a trip to the reservoir on the Webster road. The start will be made from Rand Hall at 3.30. All girls of the college are cordially invited.

#### DEBATING COUNCIL

At a meeting of the Debating Council held last Thursday the following men were admitted as members: Mr. Harding, '15, Mr. Carey, '15, and Mr. Gustin, '15. Mr. Carey was elected secretary of the council.



## LOCALS

Mr. Jamison, who was instructor of English at Bates for the last two years, has a fine position in a large school near Chicago.

Miss Curtis, former secretary to the Dean, is now teaching History at the High School in Southington, Conn.

Mr. A. G. Cushman, Y. M. C. A. secretary for the last five years at Bates, has been appointed to a similar position at M. I. T.

The new system of conducting janitor work in the boys' dormitory is meeting with decided success. In the past, men were employed to keep the corridors in condition. Under the present system students are given the work which aids greatly in defraying expenses. It is certainly a change for the betterment, as the neatness of the buildings bear testimony. All that is needed to make this system perfect in its work is a small amount of forethought and care among the men, to use the waste cans placed in either end of the corridors and not merely to regard them as ornaments.

Extensive alterations and repairs are being made in Coram Library. The stack room is being remodelled and furnished with new and excellent fire-proof stacks. This need has long been felt, as a large number of volumes were not suitably provided with shelves. Under the new arrangement a second story will be added to the stack room, making it possible to provide sufficient space for the entire collection.

A new system has been established at Bates, providing for better care of the grounds and buildings. Mr. D. E. Andrews has charge of this work and the success of his efforts is already noticeable. The tennis courts to the east of Rand Hall are being repaired. The walks leading thru the campus have been graded, straightened and supplied with concrete drains. Parker Hall has also been completely renovated and made more sanitary and convenient by the repairing of

the corridors and the installing of concrete baths on each floor. Mr. Andrews has spared no pains in beautifying the campus and buildings of the college.

The college commons opened with a large attendance. In the past, many of the men have taken their meals in private families or restaurants, but the commons has most efficiently provided an eating place for all the men. This opens the opportunity for athletes and needy students to act as waiters, aiding them financially. This fact alone should appeal to every man's loyalty and stimulate him to support this important part of the college.

Miss Frances Bartlett, formerly of the class of 1915, was the week end guest of the senior girls at Rand Hall, Friday evening. Miss Bartlett was delightfully entertained at an informal chafing dish luncheon, given by her former classmates. Miss Bartlett is now in training at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston.

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HARE AND HOUND CHASE

Wednesday afternoon, the young women of the college were excused from recitations to attend one of the most interesting and enjoyable events of the year at Bates, the annual Hare and Hound chase. The trails commenced at the Fair Grounds and led in a bewildering maze around and thru the grounds. The hares had been unusually diligent in making the trails as blind and misleading as possible, and the little paths of red, blue, yellow and white paper led over gates and railway embankments, thru swamps, fences, and thickets. It was nearly sunset before the Hares' Retreat was reached, at a beautiful spot by the river side, where a brilliant camp fire was burning and a delicious lunch was served. The blue trail was laid out by Miss Kimball and Miss Rideout, and led by Miss Hooper; the yellow trail was laid by Misses Beane and Bassett, and was led by Miss Roberts; Misses Bryant and Malone laid out the white trail and Miss Currie was leader; the red trail was laid by Misses Tilton and Durgan, and led by Miss Leighton.



## ALUMNI NOTES

1875—J. Raymond Brackett, Dean of the Graduate School of the University of Colorado, has been granted leave of absence for the academic year 1914-1915.

1881—Rev. E. T. Pitts has recently begun work as pastor of the Free Baptist Church of Lisbon Falls, Maine. For five years past, he has been at Epping, N. H.

1896—On Thursday, Sept. 3, occurred the marriage of Caroline L. Cobb, Bates, '97, and Oren Cheney Boothby, Bates, '96, at the First Congregational Church of Ashburnham, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Boothby will be at home after the first of November at 10 Park View Street, Roxbury, Mass.

1902—Augustine D. Ohol is now located at 2319 N. College Ave., Philadelphia. Mr. Ohol has spent much time in India and has some very interesting lectures upon conditions there.

1903—Eleanor Sharp is teaching in the commercial department of the high school at Bayonne, N. J. She has been taking summer and evening courses at the School of Commerce of New York University, and has passed the New York City examinations in commercial branches.

1908—H. Leslie Sawyer, Bates, '08, was married July 29 to Miss Emma I. Brown of Madison, Me. Mr. Sawyer has been doing special work in Chemistry at Princeton for the past three years. He is now teaching in the Portland High School.

On September 3 was the wedding of Miss Lina Gertrude Jones, Bates, '08, of Brunswick, and Clement P. Wight of Old Orchard.

1909—H. Lester Gerry is a graduate student in the Department of Chemistry at the University of Illinois.

1910—Amorette Porter of Pittsfield, Me., has received an appointment as Free Baptist missionary in Bengal, Orissa. Her sailing has been delayed because of the European war.

1911—Charles R. Clason sailed last month for Oxford, England, where he has an ap-

pointment as a Rhodes scholar. August 6, the Gardiner High School Alumni Association gave a banquet at Tacoma Inn, in Mr. Clason's honor. About one hundred persons were present. Mr. Clason graduated from Georgetown University Law School last spring and has since been admitted to the Maine bar.

1912—Charles H. Abbott is Superintendent of Schools at Hallowell, Me. Mr. Abbott has for the past two years been Superintendent of the Turner-Canton District. This position is now held by Leo W. Blaisdell, Bates, '12.

1912—Ray A. Clement has been elected to the faculty at The Hill School, Pottstown, Pa. He spent the past summer travelling and studying in Europe.

1912—The marriage of Miss Hazel Howard to Mr. Vogt of Buffalo, N. Y., took place last week, at the bride's home. Mr. and Mrs. Vogt are to spend a few days in various parts of Maine, after which they will go to Buffalo where Mr. Vogt is in business.

The marriage of Lillian Hazel Bearce of Auburn and Mr. Albert E. Jennings, Jr., Bates, 1912, took place Wednesday, August 5. Mr. Jennings is an instructor in the University of Iowa.

1913—The engagement of Mr. Paul S. Nickerson and Miss Edith Macomber, both of the class of 1913, has recently been announced.

1914—Arthur B. Hussey is taking graduate work at Brown University and is teaching in the Hope Street High School in Providence.

Nicholas Andronis is studying in the University of Texas Medical School.

Percy Cobb is principal of the high school in Richmond, Me.

In Rumford High School there are at least four Bates teachers. Three of these, Royal B. Parker, Miss Elsie Judkins, and Miss Marion Sanborn, are members of the class of 1914. The principal, Leon Payne, graduated from Bates in 1906.



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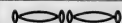
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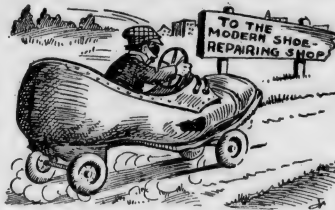
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## CALENDAR

- THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15  
7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.
- FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16  
7.30 P.M. Men's Literary Societies.
- SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17  
2.00 P.M. Bates vs. New Hampshire State at Lewiston.  
7.30 P.M. Eukuklios Social.
- MONDAY, OCTOBER 19  
12.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Cabinet Meeting.  
6.45 P.M. Men's Bible Study Classes
- TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20  
12.45 P.M. Bible Study Committee.
- WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21  
12.45 P.M. Campus Service Committee.  
6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

## CHAPEL NOTES

Rev. H. O. Childs of Rangeley, Me., a graduate of Bates in the class of '97, conducted the Chapel Exercises Wednesday morning, October 7. Mr. Hinton, '17, sang a solo.

On Thursday morning Rev. George R. Stair, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Portland, conducted the exercises. Mr. Renwick, '18, sang. At the close of the service, Mr. Stair gave an address to the men on "The Joy and Value of Bible Study." He said: "The most important subject that can occupy the mind of a young man is the study of the Bible. We train our mental, physical, and social natures, but too many times we forget the spiritual nature. The Bible is the best book in the world. It has God for its author, Truth for its contents, Humanity for its audience, and Redemption for its theme. There are four reasons why we should engage in Bible Study; first, the Bible is God's book; second, the Bible is pre-eminently Man's book; third, because of its wonderful influence on history; fourth, because of its place in the life of to-day. Other books are Man-inspired, but the Bible is God-inspired. It was not written for a class, time, or a language, but for all

mankind. Some books meet certain classes, but the Bible meets all classes.

Dr. Seeley conducted the exercises Saturday morning, giving a brief address from the text: "First the blade; then the ear; then the full corn in the ear."

## Y. W. C. A.

The meeting of the Y. W. C. A. Thursday, October 8, was in charge of the Bible Study Committee. Miss Bradbury, '16, chairman of the committee, was leader, and Miss Buswell spoke on the subject of Bible Study. A piano solo by Miss Murphy, '16, was delightfully rendered.

## EUKUKLIOS

The first meeting of Eukuklios Society was held Friday evening in the Gymnasium at Rand Hall. After a short business meeting at which Miss Kane, '16, was elected Vice-President, a social hour was enjoyed. One of the most interesting events of the evening was an Interclass Suit Case Race, won by Miss King, '16. In addition to this, a grand march and Virginia Reel were enjoyed. Then followed the Faculty Song and class cheers.

## ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION MEETING

At a meeting of Bates College Athletic Association, Oct. 2, the election of the managers and assistant managers, postponed from last spring, was held. Parker, '16, was elected manager of tennis. Merrill, '16, was elected manager of track. Gray, '16, and Lawrence, '16, were chosen assistant managers of baseball, Bacon, '17, assistant manager of track in the place of Lane, and Bush, '17, assistant manager of tennis, to fill the place of Purinton who had resigned. Boothby was nominated and elected junior member of the Advisory Board. Mr. Harold Libbey was elected to act as President of the Advisory Board. Mr. Hanley was nominated and elected President of the Arbitration Board. It was decided that the season tickets would be good for every home game excepting the Maine game.



## SUCH IS LIFE

In the heart of the Beautiful Forest, where mortal foot never trod, the Queen of the Fairies lived in a palace of ivory, carved like the finest of lace; the windows were of diamonds, and when the sun shone thru the leaves of the great trees, upon the ivory palace, all the little windows glittered like sparks of fire. In the tower toward the east, the diamonds were biggest and brightest of all, for here was the Queen's own chamber.

These windows shone so brightly, that they reflected the light, even to the edge of the forest. And one day a Prince who was riding there, early in the morning, saw the distant gleam, and resolved to know what there was in the forest that could be so dazzling. He followed the light thru the forest, where the trees towered so high he could not see the tops, and the stillness was like a weight upon the heart of the Prince. He began to sing softly, to convince himself that there was nothing to fear. The voice of the Prince was rich and sweet, and as he rode, he sang many songs of valor and battle, but mostly he sang of Love, for the Prince was young, and he knew naught of Love, save the songs.

In her tower-room, the Queen of the Fairies was watching the sunlight sift thru the trees, and she was thinking of an ugly little dwarf, who came daily to the palace to deliver honey and rose leaves. He was the only man she had ever seen and she, too, was young. The Queen leaned from the window and listened; down the forest-aisle came the Prince on his black horse, singing his song of love. The Queen gasped—he was so beautiful! He looked up at the beautiful face in the window and their eyes met so suddenly that he left the song unfinished and stretched out his arms toward her. Instantly, before a word was spoken, she vanished from the window. The Prince rubbed his eyes and looked again expecting to see her come back; at last when no sign or movement at the window revealed her presence, the Prince leaped from his horse, and ran to the palace door. No one answered his rap, he pushed open the door, and made his way thru the rooms. They were deserted, even the tower-room was

empty. He ran to the window and leaned out, no living thing was in sight but his own horse, grazing quietly on grass by the door. He cried aloud, no one answered him. Then he saw upon the pure ivory of the floor beneath the window a great drop of blood. Anxious and bewildered he turned to the door. There stood the ugly dwarf, grinning at him, hideously.

"The Fairy Queen"—he demanded—"where is she?"

The dwarf laughed hoarsely and pointed to the crimson drop. "You have killed her. So it is with all fairies who look upon the face of a mortal. Be gone. Your presence pollutes this place."

As in a dream, the Prince made his way out of the palace and mounted his horse. As he rode away, he saw that the diamond windows no longer gleamed in the sun, but the whole place looked dull and gloomy; and the grinning dwarf stood in the door.

So the Prince rode back to his father's palace; and one day his father pointed out to him a fat dowager with seven children and bade him marry her for the good of the Kingdom. And the Prince obeyed his father and married the fat dowager, and the seven children called him father, and he never again rode in the Beautiful Forest.

—1915.

## BIBLE STUDY DAY

For some time the need of some systematic plan of enrolling members for the winter's work in Bible Study has been felt. Accordingly, Thursday, October 6th, was set apart as a day for this work. During the weekly conference hour which follows the regular chapel exercises on Thursday mornings, those of the men who were interested were invited to remain and listen to a brief presentation of the subject by the Reverend G. R. Stair of Portland, Me., at the close of which those of the men who remained were invited to enroll in this work. During the remainder of the day a systematic canvass was made by the group leaders in which an attempt was made to see every man in College who had not as yet enrolled. So far one hundred and fifty men have been received and with other leaders to hear from it looks as if this winter's classes will be larger than ever.



## BATES 55, FORT MCKINLEY 0

Bates easily won the first home-game of the season from Fort McKinley last Saturday, by the score of 55 to 0. Eight touchdowns were made and Manuel, Bates' field captain, kicked seven out of eight goals. McKinley made only three first downs during the entire game, two of them by forward passes. The visitors were not able to get past the Bates' 45-yard line and never threatened to score.

John Butler made the longest run of the game, going around left end for a 65-yard gain. Curtin and Connors were also consistent ground gainers, each of them scoring two touchdowns. DeWever smashed through right tackle in the second period for a 30-yard run and made a touchdown. At quarterback Pidgeon and Talbot played a consistent game. The line held well in spite of the fact that the veterans, Captain Moore and Harding, were unable to play. In the last half of the game, after the score was 35 to 0, nearly every man on the squad was given a tryout.

This victory, especially by so large a score, has given renewed courage not only to the team but also to the Bates supporters in anticipation of the State series. Although the team is light and somewhat inexperienced, every Bates man and woman believes that Bates will be a strong candidate for the state championship.

The summary:

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Clifford, Shattuck, l.t. r.t., Sanbury, Weining	Gustin, Stillman, Russell, Crooker, l.g.
r.g., Condon, Hale, Mellin, Garrison	Merrill, Roberts, Johnson, c. c., Vallincourt
W. Neville, r.g.	l.g., Hewison, Capshue, Weining
Manuel, Spratt, r.t.	l.t., McHenry
J. Neville, Frost, r.e.	l.e., Blakeley, Parish
Pidgeon, Talbot, q.b.	q.b., Taylor, Parish
DeWever, Connors, Rankin, l.h.b.	r.h.b., Bahr
Stettbacher, Butler, r.h.b.	l.h.b., Ebleton, Krieger
Curtin, Drew, Connor, f.b.	f.b., Apple, Mills, Trians

Score—Bates 55. Touchdowns—Curtin 2, Pidgeon, Butler, DeWever, Talbot, Connors 2. Goals from touchdowns—Manuel 7. Safety—Bahr. Umpire—Walsh, Georgetown. Referee—Lieut. Meyer, Navy. Linesman—Greene, U. of P. Time—four 12-minute periods.

## GIRLS' MUSICAL CLUBS

Several members of the Girls' Mandolin Club furnished music at a reception given by the Ladies' Social Union of the Sixth Street Congregational Church, Thursday evening, October 7. Miss Harding, '16, also gave a reading.

The Girls' Glee Club has been organized for the coming year under the leadership of Miss Roberts, '15. The following members have been chosen: First soprano, Miss Roberts, '15, Miss Googins, '16, Miss Lougee, '17, Miss Ingersoll, '18, Miss Leslie, '17, Miss Hussey, '18; second soprano, Miss Leighton, '15, Miss Howard, '15, Miss Tilton, '15, Miss Hutchins, '16, Miss Harding, '16, Miss Chapman, '18; first alto, Miss Merrill, '15, Miss Mower, '16, Miss Farnsworth, '17, Miss Clough, '18, Miss Severance, '18, Miss Dresser, '18; second alto, Miss Thompson, '16, Miss Wright, '18, Miss Ballard, '18, Miss Mansfield, '18, Miss Haskell, '18.

## LOCALS

Miss Lulene Thompson, a former member of the class of 1916, was a visitor at Rand Hall for the week end.

Miss Josephine Kerr of Portland, was a guest of Miss Googins, '16, over Sunday.

Miss Marion Everett, formerly of the class of 1916, has been passing a few days in Lewiston.

## JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

The Jordan Scientific Society held its first meeting of the year last Monday evening in Carnegie Science Hall. Ten new members were admitted to the society. O. C. Perkins gave a paper on "Eugenics." After the regular business meeting, refreshments were served.



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## MAY'S SURPRISE

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Curling away thru the grass,  
Made for the bath of a lark  
Or the buttercups' looking-glass;

Sparkling o'er roughening trail,  
Rippling in widening tide,  
Trusting the spring not to fail,  
Trusting the light still to guide;

Flashing response to the sun,  
Cooling the thirst of a flower,  
Freak of a May flood, in fun  
Dances the brook of an hour.

## POLITICS CLUB

At the regular meeting of the Politics Club last Wednesday evening, Davis, '15, spoke on the recent Maine election. Professor Gould gave a talk on the causes of the European War, following which Professor Carroll spoke on the economic effects of the War. The program was followed by a business meeting at which the subjects for the next meeting were chosen. It was decided to discuss the real value of the Student Council and to make a comparative study with other similar organizations.

## Y. M. C. A.

The weekly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was omitted last Wednesday evening to give those who desired an opportunity to attend the Joint Laymen's meeting of the Baptist and Free Baptist State Conventions.

The Y. M. C. A. cabinet voted last week to change the place of holding the regular meetings from Libbey Forum to the Chapel, Roger Williams Hall. This will be the arrangement until further notice.



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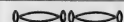
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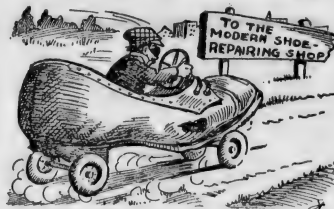
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22

7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24

3.00 P.M. Bates vs. University of Maine at Lewiston.

### MONDAY, OCTOBER 26

12.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Cabinet Meeting.

6.45 P.M. Men's Bible Study Classes.

7.30 P.M. Jordan Scientific Society.

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27

12.45 P.M. Bible Study Committee.

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28

12.45 P.M. Campus Service Committee.

6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.

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7.45 P.M. Politics Club.

## VIRGINIAN SCENES

One of the most delightful social affairs of the week was the informal entertainment given by Dr. and Mrs. William Risby Whitehorne and Dr. and Mrs. Frank Dean Tubbs to about sixty of their friends, last Thursday evening. The guests were invited to Carnegie Science Hall, where a lecture was given by Dr. Tubbs.

The guests were received by Dr. and Mrs. Whitehorne, Mrs. Edward Franklin Clements, Mrs. Whitehorne's mother and Prof. and Mrs. Tubbs. A stereopticon lecture on "Virginian Scenes" was then given by Prof. Tubbs. The first scenes shown were from Harper's Ferry. Then Prof. Tubbs took his audience up the Shenandoah Valley. Pictures of the Luray cavern and the natural bridge were also shown. All of these scenes were visited by Prof. and Mrs. Tubbs a year ago last summer.

After the lecture the guests adjourned to one of the laboratories where refreshments were served. The table was effectively strewn with autumn leaves and the centerpiece was of apples and grapes. Autumn leaves were also used as decorations about the rooms. An

opportunity was given those who wished to view the apparatus in the different scientific departments of the building and to see the fine collection of birds presented to the college by Prof. J. Y. Stanton.

The ushers were Arthur Everett Morse, instructor in the Physics department; William Hayes Sawyer, Jr., instructor in the Biology department; Warren N. Watson, instructor in the Chemistry department, Douglass M. Gay, Miss Helen Hilton and Miss Ida Kimball assisted.

## WOMEN'S LITERARY SOCIETY

The new literary society organized last spring by the young women of the two upper classes held a meeting, Friday evening, in Fiske Room, Rand Hall. Twenty-one of the twenty-five charter members were present. Miss Hilton, '15, presided, and Miss Kimball, '15, was secretary *pro tem*. The membership of this society is limited to thirty-five from the Senior and Junior classes. Ten Junior members were elected as follows: Misses Hazel Mitchell, Alice King, Harlene Kane, Ellen Harding, Mabel Googins, Harriet Johnson, Marjorie Bradbury, Agnes Bryant, Mona Hodnett, and Anna Emerson. Edith Rideout, '15, Viola Nevens, '15, and Mildred Bassett, '15, were elected as a nominating committee. As there is no executive committee as yet, Mabel Durgan and Marion Cole, '15, were appointed to attend to the program for the next meeting, which will be held October 30.

Esther Wadsworth, '15, Geneva Page, '15, and Hazel Mitchell, '16, were appointed a committee to select a suitable name for the society.

While the ballots were being counted, Helen Hilton, '15, entertained with a piano solo, followed by a Critique on one of Gilbert Parker's late books by Gwendolyn Greene, '15. At the close of the meeting, the Bates song was sung.



## THE BIG HOUSE

It was in the year 1860 that Hiram Wayne conceived the idea of building a hotel, which he was confident he could fill with wealthy pleasure seekers. Wayne was no New York millionaire, who, upon the birth of his plan, hired men to erect the structure over night. He was a poor man, who had all his life lived in an island town and eeked out the meagre livelihood it afforded. But he saw the beauty of that town and the financial possibilities of its beauty. The building of a big hotel became the purpose of his life—a purpose apparently hopeless. He could not build a hotel without money, and he had no money. His friends were not able to help him. No one of them possessed the requisite funds. Then Lawyer Palls came to town. Nobody knew why he came, for the town was too poor and Lawyer Palls too rich to need law practice. He built an ornate house and lived in it. All the village was curious about the stranger, but one man was vitally interested.

Hiram Wayne was the first islander to call on Lawyer Palls. He stayed long with in the great house. A week after his visit, the building of an immense hotel on Wayne's Point was begun.

As Wayne had anticipated, the newness of his venture was against him, and the first summer guests were few. Thereafter, they began to increase in numbers, but expenses meanwhile grew appallingly large. Wayne struggled on until he had paid his maximum debt. Then, under the strain and worry, his health broke down. That year he could not meet the remaining payments on the loan. He must meet them, said Lawyer Palls; this was no philanthropic child's play. Of course, if he refused to pay his debt, he—the lawyer—*must* take measures for self-defense.

Hiram Wayne "refused" to meet his payment—could not, was the way he put it—and Lawyer Palls took measures for self-defense. He foreclosed his mortgage and ordered Wayne with his wife and infant son, out of

the hotel. Hiram Wayne was sick; sick unto death, the doctor said. "Sympathy-gaining hypocrite!" swore Lawyer Palls. "Out he shall go just the same."

It was a bitter November day on which Lawyer Palls, accompanied by officers of justice, came to rid his property of the incumbent debtor. A painful scene resulted. The dying man rose in his bed and swore by all the names of Deity that Lawyer Palls should suffer for his act. "You shall not take me living from the house," cried Wayne; "and living or dead my curse shall never leave it."

Years passed and the story of the Big House, as we called it, was almost forgotten. I had heard it, however, from old villagers, and I mused on it this summer afternoon as I sat sketching on the rocks of Wayne Point just below the huge landmark.

Strange to say, Lawyer Palls had not continued the hotel business nor had he put the Big House to any use whatever. He had not even kept it in repair. Once he had tried to sell it, but there was trouble over the title-claim to the land it set on, and no one wished to buy.

There it stood—big, bare, neglected, stretching over the Point like a wooden Tityos, preyed upon by wind and storms from the sea. Its curtainless windows, row upon row, stared like sightless eyes out upon the ocean.

So absorbed was I in recalling the story of the Big House, and in picturing the tragic scene enacted there some forty years ago, that not until a large raindrop splashed on my hand, was I aware of the squall close upon me. Now as I looked out to sea, I saw the black water lifted by wind which came tearing on until it struck me violently in the face. With the wind came rain—fast, pelting rain, and from the ominous, rumbling sky, lightning darted.

I snatched up my sketches and began to run for shelter. Wayne's Point is an isolated peninsula some half mile from the nearest dwelling house. I had no choice as to my



place of shelter, but ran as fast as I could toward the Big House. Before I had time to get wet, I was in its dark shadow. I rattled the nearest door and found it locked. Close beside it was a low, loose-sashed window, broken panes of which, devoid of putty, shook in the wind. This window responded to my hand and thru it I stepped into the Big House.

The room I had entered was a large one, but its barren walls and gaping floor gave no clue as to its former use. Three doors opened from it. One was closed; another was wide open and thru it I looked into an immense, pillar-supported room which was evidently the dining hall. One long, bare table remained, accentuating its emptiness. It came to my mind what a stage this had indeed been. How many gay actors had sat at that board forty years ago, but now, the play had long been over. The third door was also ajar, but so dark was all beyond that I could not distinguish the nature of the apartment to which it led. At the first lightning gleam, I perceived that a long corridor extended there, from which doors opened on either side.

How long I stood in the empty room I cannot estimate, for at such times minutes are hours, and hours years. The untenanted atmosphere of the place, its gloomy associations and its death-silence, cast me into a kind of torpor, from which neither the intermittent crashes of thunder re-echoing down the vacant halls, nor the lightning flashes, illuminating each dusty corner, aroused me.

But presently a sound other than the mutterings of the heavens, reached my ear. Footsteps in the Big House? Impossible! My imagination was making a coward of me. Then of a sudden, brighter and keener than any which had preceded, came a flash of lightning. In the illumined hall, it revealed a strange and awful sight. On a stretcher, born by two dim figures, lay the gaunt form of a man. As the litter came opposite the door, the man on it sprang up and raising aloft a bony hand, uttered a triumphant, horrible cry. The next minute all was dark. I

stumbled to the window and with mad haste climbed out into the fresh, sane air.

Just as I dropped the rickety sash I heard a welcome sound. A four o'clock factory whistle was blowing in the town, and the warm, human associations which it brought were sweet to me. I ran in its direction, but I was like a child running from a bugaboo, whom curiosity impels to turns around at a safe distance and view its fancied pursuer. Out of reach of its shadow, I looked back at the Big House just in time to see an ugly, jagged bolt of lightning pierce its roof. Within two hours the Big House had burned to the ground.

That night, the Big House was once more the talk of the town. At the supper table, I was tempted to relate my experience of the afternoon, but the dubious reception, by the world, of things supernatural, and my own incredulity, restrained me. I did, however, venture one remark:

"Wonder if Lawyer Palls thinks of Hiram Wayne's curse," I said.

A strange, awed look was on the face of the company. Some one spoke:

"Haven't you heard?" he said. "Lawyer Palls died this afternoon at four o'clock."

—1917.

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### ROUND TABLE

Friday evening the Round Table was entertained at the home of Judge F. M. Drew. President Chase was the speaker of the evening. Delicious refreshments were served.

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### BIBLE STUDY

The first regular meetings of the Campus Groups began this week. Twelve groups were reported under the leadership of Prof. Ramsdell, Prof. Carroll, Prof. Purinton, Dr. Leonard, Supt. Andrews, Secretary Rowe, Messrs. Gustin, '15, Moulton, '15, Swift, '15, Stillman, '16, and Hinton, '17. The enrolment has been exceedingly gratifying to those having the work in hand, being somewhat larger than that of any previous year.



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## SATURDAY'S GAME

This Saturday, after having finished our preliminary schedule, we meet Maine in the first of the championship series. Those who have watched the excellent fighting spirit displayed by every member of the team, in spite of adversity both from injury and defeat, are eager to see them in action against the aggregation from Orono.

Since the Tufts game the team has quickened up wonderfully. The line has regained its old-time charge and the back field is running smoothly. We have every reason to believe that Maine will meet a team worthy of her consideration.

At the rally Friday night, special emphasis will be laid on the cheering. So far, the Freshmen have had very little opportunity to become acquainted with our college yells. If the cheering section is to be a unit, it must have practice. Let every man be in attendance at that time and catch the enthusiasm of

a real Bates rally. The next thing to do is to put our practice into action by attending the game in a body. The team needs the support of every Bates man. When the player on the gridiron feels that every member of his college is behind him, he is thrilled with exultation and inspired with confidence. Then, whatever the outcome, we know that every member of the team will give his best. That is Bates spirit.

## DEBATING

Debating has long been one of our chief college activities along literary lines. Our record bespeaks the efficiency of our debaters and the thoroughness with which they have always acquainted themselves with the subject in hand.

But the members of the faculty have felt that Bates should enter a triangular league similar to that of nearly every other institution active in debating. This gives the debating teams the advantage of having to work up but one question. Last year we were greatly handicapped by this very thing. Each of our two teams was obliged to prepare themselves on separate questions, making it almost impossible to keep a second team for training purposes.

At the present writing plans have been nearly completed for such a triangular league with two institutions who have always given special attention to this division of the English departments.

The outlook is exceptionally bright for two strong debating teams for the coming year. We have four varsity men from last year's teams who should be strong candidates for this year's debates. The present junior class also has good material, and since the ruling of two years ago, the sophomore and freshman classes are given the opportunity of trying out for the varsity teams.

A large number of candidates gives the judges a greater opportunity to select the better qualified men. Thus, when the call for debaters is given, let every man who is interested in continuing our fine record in debate, signify his intentions to that effect, by handing in his name to the head of the debating department.



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Y. M. C. A.

At the regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Secretary Rowe gave a very interesting talk. His subject was: "Comrades of the Triangle," using the Christian Association emblem, the triangle, as the basis for his remarks. The meeting was held in Roger Williams Hall, owing to the condition of the regular Y. M. C. A. rooms. There was a good attendance. The meetings are to be held in the regular Y. M. C. A. room hereafter.

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## MEN'S LITERARY SOCIETIES

Last Friday evening the Men's Literary Societies held their first meetings of the year. No programs were provided; all the societies devoting their time to the business of re-organizing. Committees were appointed to confer with the faculty concerning further changes in the nature of each.

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## STUDENT VOLUNTEER

The officers of the Student Volunteer Movement in Bates for the coming year, are:

Mr. Nutting, '16, President.

Miss Foster, '15, Secretary and Treasurer.

Miss Leathers, '18, Literary Specialist.

The meetings are to be held Wednesdays at 8 P.M., at 247 College Street. Visitors are most welcome.

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## ENKUKLIOS' GUEST NIGHT

The Enkuklios Social Club observed its first Guest Night, Saturday evening, October the seventeenth, in Fiske Room, Rand Hall. At eight o'clock, about two hundred people joined in the grand march led by Miss Hooper, '15, and Mr. Johnson, '16. Following this, the President, Miss Beane, '15, addressed the members and guests, extending to them a cordial welcome and explaining the purposes of the organization of the society.

Then came a selection from the Girls' Mandolin Quartet. The next number on the program was a series of charades very well presented by groups from the different dormitories. The judges for these were President Chase and Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter.

Mr. Carpenter announced the decision of the judges and presented the prize of a picture to Cheney House. The social evening closed by all joining in the singing of College songs.

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## Y. W. C. A.

The Bates Y. W. C. A. held its regular weekly meeting, Wednesday evening, in Fiske Hall. A piano solo by Miss Hilton, '15, a vocal solo by Miss Newman, '17, and a vocal duet by Misses Haskell and Wright, '18, were pleasingly rendered. Miss Wadsworth, '15, was leader for the evening and F. D. Tubbs was the speaker, taking for his subject, "The Living God." There were many present at the meeting and a large number of freshmen as well as several upper class girls were welcomed as members of the Association.

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## BATES 26, N. H. STATE 0

Bates won her second home game last Saturday from New Hampshire State by the score of 26-0. The game was played in a drizzling rain on slippery, water-soaked field. But in spite of the mud and water Bates forced her way through the visitors' defense for four touchdowns, two of which were made by forward passes.

The game started by New Hampshire kicking to Manual. In a series of rushes and with a forward pass, Bates scored a touchdown. Manual kicked the goal. In the latter part of the first period, with one minute to play, Bates attempted a drop kick. It fell short, and New Hampshire got the ball on the five-yard line.

In the second period, after New Hampshire had punted, Connors went in and did some good ground gaining for Bates. A touchdown was just missed when the right



end dropped a forward pass over the goal line. New Hampshire took the ball on the 20-yard line and scrimmaged, but she was not able to advance the ball punted. Drew went in for Bates and helped to place the ball near the line, from which position Bates scored on a forward pass. Manual failed to kick the goal. Score at end of first half, 13-0.

Bates kicked off at the opening of the second half. After holding New Hampshire for downs, our team took the ball, and with a few rushes put it over the goal line. Manual kicked the goal. Keaney made the next touchdown on line plunges in the same period. In the last period neither side was able to advance. The ball was wet and heavy and was fumbled frequently: The summary:

BATES	NEW HAMPSHIRE
Butler, Murray, l.e...r.e., Willard, Roderick	
E. Clifford, Stellman, l.t.....r.t., Swett	
Justin, S. Clifford, l.g.....r.g., Bell	
Merrill, c.....c., W. Brown	
W. Neville, Russell, r.g...l.g., Morrill, Huse	
Manual, r.t.....l.t., Jenkins	
J. Neville, Swift, r.e.....l.e., H. Brown	
Talbot, Pidgeon, q.b.....q.b., Hobbs	
Stettbacher, Keaney, Cononr, l.h.b.	
	r.h.b., Woodward, Hewey
Keaney, Drew, r.h.b...l.h.b., Westover, Davis	
DeWever, Wilbur, f.b.	
	f.b., Burkett, Brackett

#### HEBRON 52, BATES 20, 0

Our best men of both first and second teams were kept at home for the New Hampshire State game, so that Hebron found little opposition in the Bates Second team, Saturday. She was able to run up a score of 52 to 0. Four touchdowns were scored in the first 10 minutes of play. The line-up:

BATES SECOND	HEBRON
Wiggin, l.e.....r.e., Robinson	
Witham, l.t.....r.t., Pendleton	
Boober, l.g.....r.g., Cross	
Roberts, c.....c., Ruble	
Dolloff, r.g.....l.g., Croville, Fowler	
Knight, r.t.....l.t., Moore	
Arata, r.e.....l.e., Eaton	

Davis, q.b.....q.b., Green, Miller  
Moulton, l.h.b.....r.h.b., Shoemaker  
Rankin, r.h.b.....l.h.b., Jordan  
O'Brien, f.b.....f.b., LeClair, Lambert

#### STUDENT COUNCIL

At the meeting of the Student Assembly of Bates College, Thursday morning, the student council for 1914-15 was elected. The council is made up of four men from the senior class, three from the juniors, two from the sophomores and the freshmen are represented by one member.

E. M. Moor of Gardiner was the first man to be elected from the senior class, and thus became president of the council. E. L. Saxton, the second member from the seniors, is vice-president, and R. D. Stillman, first member from the juniors, is secretary.

The other men elected to the council are E. A. Harding, '15, of Hemet, Cal., C. S. Fuller, '15, of Turner, B. O. Marston, '16, of Lewiston, H. P. Johnson, '16, Stetson, J. J. Butler, '17, Malden, Mass., and S. Davis, '17, South Paris. The freshman member will be chosen at a later date.

#### HOCKEY

It is with no little interest that Bates women have been watching the practice of the hockey teams, this fall, on Roger Williams field. The enthusiasm which the championship games of last season created among the women has not been forgotten. Those were the first hockey championship games ever played at Bates. This season, it is planned to hold another series of championship games, but on a different basis. The new idea is to have each team play one game with each of the other three teams, instead of playing only with the sister class team in the preliminaries.

Among the players the best spirit is seen in the Freshman class. For the first practice game twenty-five Freshmen candidates were out, while upper classes have found it difficult to get out a full team, numbering eleven. The upper class women should think this incident over and do their share in helping the captain of the team to bring the players out. The championship games are not far off and each player should remember that she must report for practice, fourteen times, before she can take part in the games.



## LOCAL

Saturday afternoon, October 17, Misses Curtis, Noble, Hall, La Salle, Leavitt, Shepard, McKeen, and Gould from Norway High School, accompanied by Miss Florence Rideout, Bates 1912, were visitors at Rand Hall.

On Wednesday and Thursday of this week, the annual Bates interclass track meet took place upon Garcelon Field, the events starting at 4 P.M.

The tennis tournament is progressing as well as possible outside of the rain. Much material is being located for the tournament next spring.

Owing to the absence of President Chase, Tuesday morning, Dr. Hartshorn presided at the chapel exercises.

## ALUMNI NOTES

1882—Rev. John Carroll Perkins is pastor of the Unitarian Church in Seattle, Wash.

Mr. William G. Clark, of the class of 1882, announces the marriage of his daughter, Meredith Lavinia, to Mr. Fred Willis, on September 15, at Des Moines, Iowa.

1889—George H. Libby has begun his fifteenth year as principal of the high school in Manchester, N. H.

1894—Dr. W. W. Bolster, Bates 1894, was married October 3 to Miss Maud Furbush. They will be at home at 166 College Street, Lewiston.

1898—On Saturday, August 29, occurred the wedding of Miss Gertrude Goodspeed to Mr. Roy Ovid Hall at the Broadway Tabernacle Church in New York City. Mr. and Mrs. Hall will be at home after October 1 at Pekin, China.

1903—Simeon R. Smith is technician in the pathological laboratory at the Taunton State Insane Asylum, Taunton, Mass.

1906—Mr. and Mrs. Harold N. Cummings of Rochester, N. Y., have a little son, Charles

S. Cummings, second, born August 28. Mr. Cummings graduated from Bates in 1906.

The marriage of Irving Gilman Davis, Bates, '06, and Miss Alice Ida Sawin of Brimfield, Mass., occurred August 18, at the bride's home in Brimfield. Mr. Davis is an instructor in the Brimfield Agricultural School of Brimfield, and is having excellent success in his work.

1911—Ambrose J. Nichols is principal of the high school at Washington, Maine.

The engagement of Mr. Eugene V. Lovely and Miss Isabell Kincaid (Bates, 1911) has recently been announced.

1912—Harry M. Bickford is physical director in the high school at West Orange, N. J. There are about five hundred pupils under his care. Beside the work in physical training, Mr. Bickford teaches Ancient History and General Science.

1913—Clinton Ray Thompson is Director of Athletics in Moses Brown School, Providence, R. I.

Henry W. L. Kidder is permanently located with the B. F. Goodrich Company. Mr. Kidder is one of a group of twenty men, selected for admission to this company's training course maintained to fit men for executive positions. Until about February 1st, 1915, Mr. Kidder will have his headquarters at Akron, Ohio, where the Goodrich factories are located.

1914—Edith Adams is teaching in Wells, Me.

The wedding of Charles H. Beek, Bates 1914, and Miss Alice Maude Brown of Kennebunk, Maine, took place Wednesday, September 2, at the bride's home in Kennebunk. Mr. Beek is submaster of the Horace Mann School of Newtonville, Mass.

Clara Chapman is teaching in the high school at Jonesboro, Me.

Joseph Coady is teaching Mathematics at Easton High School, Easton, Me.

Haliberton Crandlemire, submaster of the Norway High School, spent Sunday in Lewiston.

Helen Foss is teaching History and English in the Northboro High School, Northboro, Mass.



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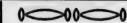
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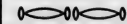
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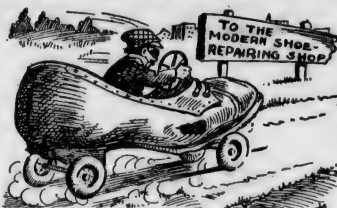
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## CALENDAR

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29

7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30

8.00 P.M. Hallowe'en Social, Rand Hall.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

2.30 P.M. Bates vs. Bowdoin at Brunswick.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2

12.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Cabinet Meeting.

6.45 P.M. Men's Bible Study Classes.

8.00 P.M. Mary Antin, "The Promised Land," Pine St. Cong. Church.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

12.45 P.M. Bible Study Committee.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

12.45 P.M. Campus Service Committee.

6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.

6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.

7.45 P.M. Politics Club.

8.00 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.

## LITERARY SOCIETY

The new Literary Society organized by the two upper classes has three departments which are as follows: Department I, dramatics. Department II, debating. Department III, original work and criticism.

The committee appointed to make nominations for the officers of the society present the following names:

Vice-President—Hazel Mitchell, '16; Harriet Johnson, '16.

Secretary—Viola Nevens, '15; Winnefred Jewell, '15.

Treasurer—Marjorie Bradbury, '16; Mabel Googins, '16.

Executive Board:

Dept. I—Ida Kimball, '15; Elizabeth Wood, '15.

Dept. II—Agnes Bryant, '16; Frances Bryant, '15.

Dept. III—Marion Cole, '15; Mabel Durgan, '15; Gwendolyn Greene, '15.

The President, Miss Gladys Tilton, '15, was elected last spring.

## MARY ANTIN LECTURE

The lecture given by Mary Antin, in the Pine Street Congregational Church, November 2, offers to Bates students, as well as to citizens of Lewiston and Auburn, an unusual opportunity of hearing one of the most gifted women of America, and a very inspiring speaker. Few American books have made a stronger impression upon the reading public than Mary Antin's "The Promised Land," the story of a little Russian immigrant and her life in America. No one ought to miss an opportunity of listening to this eloquent speaker. Tickets may be obtained at the library desk during this week.

## VESPERS.

The first Vesper Services of the year were held in the College Chapel Sunday afternoon, October 25th.

The musical features were two anthems by the college choir, a bass solo by Mr. Renwick, '18, and several beautifully rendered selections by Miss Girouard, '16, violinist, and Mrs. Shirley H. Wilson, 'cellist.

Rev. A. D. Paul, of the Court Street Free Baptist Church, delivered the address. He called attention to the fact that it is to the seemingly small influences that we must look if we would discover the causes of most of the great changes we see in the world about us. As a rule, we are influenced far more by the little things than by those which, in their vastness, make the whole world tremble. To most of us, the personal happenings of a day or year are indeed trivial, but those trivial things may shape our destinies completely. In closing, he spoke of the brawny Scot who was brought to his knees, overwhelmed, when he saw under the scientist's microscope the beauty of the little Scotch heather,—yet thousands of those very same flowers had he thoughtlessly trampled under foot, never dreaming of their exquisite daintiness.



## MA'AM DAYLOO

Sara's father was head trustee of the Academy, so for Sara the path of knowledge was smooth and rosy. I didn't have such a rocky passage myself, for it is I who put the "say" in Sara. Indeed, her influence and my brains gave the two of us an enviable position at the Academy. Never so surely as when by a clever *faux pas*, we secured a fine half-holiday for an adventure of our own.

We had had a "New One"—an *idea*, you know. I don't see why I shouldn't have thought of it before, but when the "New One" finally came,—well, if you know Sara and me, and me in particular, you'll know it bore fruit. For the next week Sara's health was *sub rosa*. (I don't see why people don't always say that instead of plain, untransmuted "under the weather.") It was evident that she ought to have a day or two of rest and outdoor life, but Sara couldn't and wouldn't leave her classes. She didn't feel well—Miss Lowell said—you could see that the poor, dear child had been overworking, but her *conscience* wouldn't allow her to give up studying even for a day. I don't believe Miss Christy was so sure that was the trouble, but she didn't care enough to bother. So, after a while, I went to Miss Beatty, the principal, with Miss Lowell at my elbow, and in the purity of altruism I furthered the following decision. Sara and I should spend an afternoon in the open air; for in exploration of some of my outdoor haunts in my company, Miss Lowell herself had gained in health and strength and the added repose of manner only association with untrammelled nature can bestow. Miss Lowell also suggested our dispensing with chaperonage—a mere form in that ultra-quiet village—, since the free ramble that would best benefit Sara would necessarily be curtailed by the presence of any individual possessing the requisite qualities of a chaperon. That was an excellent arrangement, and such is the duplicity and unscrupulousness of youthful natures, that we felt no qualms over our breach of faith in straightway betaking ourselves to unholy ground.

Now I'll have to begin the story all over again, for it really commences, not with Sara and me, but with Ma'am Dayloo. Ma'am Dayloo was a witch, a French witch, who lived in a dark little house near the cemetery. She had always been an object of interest to us, and more especially since the French teacher's visiting nephew and I had gone walking in the cemetery and met the old enchantress in the dusk. "Bon soir, Madame DesLoups," said that mischievously courteous little Jacques, to her, as I told him who she was; and the wretched creature straightened up astonishingly, and replied in a tone as ceremonious as his, "Bon Soir, Monsieur." Wasn't that impressive! Well, we had never been forbidden to go to her house, for such a thing had never been conceived in the minds of man, but the whole village shunned the place, making it all the more attractive to me.

So there we went, as I said before, *via* the hill, grove and cemetery. The day was so lovely we lingered till late in the afternoon, and altho it was still bright when we left the hill, the shadows were darkening under the trees about Ma'am's black little house when we finally tapped at her door, waiting for admittance with our hearts choking our throats.

The little French witch stood suddenly and silently in the door. Her glance was keen and thrilling, but her words, what did they mean?

"The young ladies from the school, is it? A great pleasure to have you come, altho the house is all upset with belated house-cleaning—"

A forebodement that she should not be allowed to finish that sentence (Sara always threw things up to you, afterward, when they had hung fire), impelled me to interrupt suddenly:

"Auriez-vous la bonté de nous dire la bonne aventure?"

She hesitated for a moment, then answered, meaningly, "Oui."

We sat down in an odd, dark room full of funny, spicy odors, as tho all the chairs were cedar and all the floor-planks rosewood. Ma'am Dayloo sat opposite Sara at a small round table, I at the side between. Ma'am Dayloo was perfect. She had a crystal—a



paper-weight would make a fine one for my future reference—, and she peered alternately into her crystal and Sara's palm. In a deep, solemn, chanty kind of voice she told the fortune, and really, she made Sara out such a future heroine of misfortunes I was quite surprised, for Sara never seemed quite that sort. Everything was growing stiller and creepier, with the enchantress' voice prophesying such exciting things, when suddenly Sara gave a little smothered scream. She tried to raise her hands to her throat, but at a piercing look from the French witch, laid them back upon the table as if hypnotized. I tore my eyes from the witch and looked in horror at Sara. Imagine the creepiness of it! Sara's long coat chain of beads was slowly being drawn up, as if pulled from behind by some invisible being, some unhuman agency. As the cross on the end of it came into view I felt the air grow tense. With a sudden inspiration I crossed myself, and murmured "Pater noster." The result was as marvellous as all that came before. The old witch sprang to her feet with blazing eyes, then sunk again into her chair, as if her power were gone. A muffled and despairing groan from no human tongue sounded behind Sara, and the chain was dropped again. The old witch motioned us to go; we turned and stumbled thru the door.

Back on the hill the sun was setting gloriously, and my spirits revived.

"You go down that little path and I'll take this," I said to the heroine-to-be. (Mistress of her fate she might become, I was still *her* mistress.) "There are fringed gentians over there, and I'll try to find that old bird's nest, on my path."

Sara went, and I dodged back to the place of witchery. O, that I had not! Sara had reached it before me, and as I crept close under the trees I heard her saying:

"It was a mag-pie, wasn't it, Mrs. Dayloo? We used to have one at home that was in perfect heaven during house-cleaning time. He wasn't usually so still about it, tho." They laughed. "Well, it was quite fun and you were so good, Mrs. Dayloo. I hope we haven't bothered you too much, but Maritta is so romantic, you know. I must fly back. Good-night."

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#### W. C. A. LECTURE COURSE

The Woman's Christian Association will present another course of entertainments this winter as follows:

- Nov. 19—The Cathedral Choir.
- Dec. 7—The Comedy Players.
- Dec. 28—Ernest Coulter.
- Feb. 1—Dunbar Male Quartet and Bell Ringers.
- Mar. 11—Edward Amherst Ott.

#### Y. W. C. A.

The Young Women's Christian Association gave a reception to the new members, Wednesday evening, October 21. The address of welcome was given by Miss Hodnett, '16. A violin solo was played by Miss Girouard, '16, and a vocal solo was given by Miss Roberts, '15. Following the usual custom, a white pink was given to each of the sixty new members.

#### JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

The regular meeting of the society was held Monday evening. Several matters of importance were taken up, such as the assignment of the papers to be read, during the coming year.

Mr. Thomas H. Blanchard, '15, Mr. Carleton S. Fuller, '15, and Mr. George R. Dolloff, '15, were elected as new members to the society. The next meeting will be Monday, November 9, at which time a paper will be read by Mr. Smith, '15, and one by Mr. Wight, '15.

#### POLITICS CLUB

One of the most interesting meetings of the year was held, Wednesday evening, Oct. 21. Mr. Carey outlined briefly the Presidential Primary form of voting. Mr. Harding gave a brief Talk on the Colorado Labor Strike. Each of these two subjects were discussed by the different members of the club and more than a passing interest was shown.

Mr. Bernard E. Swift, '15, Mr. Joseph L. Moulton, '15, Mr. Henry Mullen, '15, and Mr. Carleton S. Fuller, '15, were elected as new members to the club.



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## THE BOWDOIN GAME

Everyone who saw the plucky game put up by the football team last Saturday against Maine, are looking forward with much interest to the game with Bowdoin.

Last spring we had nearly 200 men in the cheering section at Whittier Field when our baseball team played Bowdoin in the championship series. Now we want the same number to stand behind the team in Saturday's game. It is the duty of every man to support the team in this game. There will be a special train from Lewiston, and let's make it a special, in every sense of the word. We are out to win and we need the student body to stand behind the men and cheer them on to another Bates victory over Bowdoin.

## COLLEGE ACTION

The greatest essential in the universe is life. A world without life would have no meaning. In such a world the sun might rise and set; storms might rage and earthquakes rend the

continents, seasons come and go with summer's heat and winter's cold—but with no eye to see nor ear to hear, what would this marvelous panorama of nature mean?

Let us apply this to our college life. Action is one of its greatest essentials. College opportunities without action would be a failure. In such a college life, professors might give us the most perfect ideals to guide us; literary and scientific societies might attempt to give us a mental helpfulness and an individualism by their training. But with careless and neglectful students, how vain are all these attempts to awaken within us the real purpose of life.

It should be the object of every man and woman upon entering college to stimulate action. By action we do not refer merely to the physical in athletics, but to the mental as well. If the literary society seems to be failing do not stand by with a careless, indifferent attitude, but be a reformer, if need be, to restore the old-time interest. To be sure, it means work, yes, lots of it, but that is what we are here for if we are active.

Bates has always enjoyed the distinction of being an active institution with musical clubs, literary societies, athletic teams, not of the second degree but of the first degree of activity. May we more fully realize the high privilege which we enjoy in the mere fact that we are each one of us active Bates men and women.

Y. M. C. A.

Prof. Ramsdell led a very enthusiastic discussion meeting last Wednesday evening. The topic was "Gambling and Betting." The essential thought of the speaker was expressed in substance by the quotation, "Sow a thought, you reap an act; sow an act, you reap a habit; sow a habit, you reap a character; sow a character, you reap a destiny."

The open discussion brought out many ideas on the attitude a man should hold toward gambling and betting. Especially interesting were the opinions expressed on pitching pennies and matching for ice-creams.



## DR. TUBBS' LECTURE

Prof. Tubbs of Bates College, last Thursday evening gave the first of a series of lectures on military history. The lectures will be given Thursday evenings, every two weeks.

Dr. Tubbs said in part: "I give this course in response to a demand of Bates students. My classes are always open to friends. This is not a course primarily on the present war, but I shall draw freely from many wars of history. My purpose is to establish war on a broader principle.

"A great wave of pessimism seems to be sweeping over social workers. If social workers have become pessimistic, they have only themselves to blame. They have deceived themselves with hopes they never should have cherished. They have been living in dreams and not in stern reality.

"To understand this war we must begin fifty million years back. We must begin with the start of life, even the start of the material world, for there conquest and strife began. We have in fossils proof of strife. Man is the heir of this lower type of conquest. The fight is in him and it cannot be eliminated suddenly.

"God is the creator of all, the creator of man as he exists. The dreams of the idealist will never change the world. There is no reason why Christianity has failed. If we have lost a cheap Christianity, the world is better.

"A hundred years ago the Napoleonic war was on. Since then the world has seen great wars in supposedly civilized nations. Every civilized nation on the face of the earth has had part in one or more of these wars. The last hundred years is the most bloody in all history.

"Approximately a hundred thousand have been killed in the present war. In the same time in our own country twice as many have died through perfectly preventable diseases.

"Never was war conducted so secretly as the present war. The nations have learned from experience the advisability of keeping out the war correspondent.

"In order to interpret war news, one should follow the map, knowing the positions of the army. In this war, I have found that I can depend on the English and German bulletins. A fair knowledge of military science directs one in discovering the truth. Military science will tell one that it would be impossible for Russia to mobilize an army of twenty million for the lack of officers. To charge the Germans with destroying London by raids is absurd while Germany is in her present circumstance. The thing for Germany to do is to destroy the armies."

Dr. Tubbs here gave a review of the war and showed the position of the different armies. He then spoke of battle lines, referring to history and showing the relation of the length of battle lines, the number of contestants and the length of the battles.

"I know no one in England who is complaining to-day of the strength of the British navy. A few months ago there were many groans over the increase of the navy. So far the policy of the German navy is attrition."

Dr. Tubbs will give the next lecture of the course November 5.

## GIRLS' MANDOLIN CLUB

The Girls' Mandolin Club has been organized for the year and has an unusually large membership. Miss Cole, '15, is leader for the year, and Miss King, '16, manager. The members are as follows: Misses Bassett, Bryant, Belleau, Cole, Hooper, Malone, Smiley, Smith, 1915; Misses King, Hodnett, Parker, Farnham, Mitchell, Flood, Emerson, Nelson, Chapman, Marston, 1916; Misses Berry, Lougee, Gregg, 1917; Misses Chapman, Harvey, Leathers, 1918.

## INTERCLASS TRACK MEET

The Juniors won the annual fall interclass track meet last Thursday and Friday, October 21-22. The weather was perfect, and the track was in fine condition, considering the recent rain.

At the end of the first day of the meet the Seniors, led by a margin of four points. The score was: Seniors 28, Juniors 24, Freshmen 23, and Sophomores 2. But the Juniors "came back" the second day and won the meet by a liberal surplus of points. Juniors 55,



Freshmen 47, Seniors 44 and Sophomores 5. Captain Small and Stinson won 32 out of the 44 points for the Seniors.

The Freshmen showed up well, and several very promising men were brought to light, among whom Quimby, the highest individual point winner, took first place in the discus and hammer throw, second place in the high jump and 220-yard dash, third in the 100-yard dash, and fourth in the quarter mile. Lane did some fine work in the distance runs, leading Doe, '16, in the two-mile race up to one hundred yards of the finish when Doe sprinted past him. Fowler led in the broad jump, taking first place easily. The results:

120-Yard Hurdles—O'Brien, '16, 1st; Benvie, '16, 2d; Snow, '16, 3d; Stinson, '15, 4th.

100-Yard Dash—Capt. Small, '15, 1st; Barrows, '18, 2d; Quimby, '18, 3d; Nash, '15, 4th.

High Jump—Stinson, '15, 1st; Quimby, '18, 2d; Johnston, '15, 3d; Gibbs, '16, 4th.

Two-Mile—Doe, '16, 1st; Lane, '18, 2d; Webber, '17, 3d; Snow, '16, 4th.

440-Yard Dash—Capt. Small, '15, 1st; Fowler, '18, 2d; Knight, '18, 3d; Quimby, '18, 4th.

Shot Put—Lord, '16, 1st; Stinson, '15, 2d; Manuel, '15, 3d; Dyer, '18, 4th.

Discus Throw—Quimby, '18, 1st; Manuel, '15, 2d; Lord, '16, 3d; Stinson, '15, 4th.

220-Yard Hurdles—O'Brien, '16, 1st; Benvie, '16, 2d; Snow, '16, 3d; Gibbs, '16, 4th.

220-Yard Dash—Capt. Small, '15, 1st; Quimby, '18, 2d; Hobbs, '18, 3d; Barrows, '16, 4th.

One-Mile Run—Doe, '16, 1st; Lane, '18, 2d; House, '17, 3d; Webber, '17, 4th.

880-Yard Run—Snow, '16, 1st; Lane, '18, 2d; Doe, '16, 3d; Hobbs, '18, 4th.

Broad Jump—Fowler, '18, 1st; Stinson, '15, 2d; Small, '15, 3d; Dorr, '18, 4th.

Pole Vault—Cummings, '16, 1st; Johnston, '15, 2d; Moulton, '15, and Stinson, '15, tied for third.

Hammer Throw—Quimby, '18, 1st; Lord, '16, 2d.

Summary	1915	1916	1917	1918
120-Yard Hurdles	1	10		
100-Yard Dash	6		5	
220-Yard Hurdles		11		
220-Yard Dash	5		6	
440-Yard Dash	5		6	

880-Yard Dash	7		4
One-Mile Run	5	3	3
Two-Mile Run	6	2	3
High Jump	7	1	3
Broad Jump	5		6
Pole Vault	6	5	
Shot Put	5	5	1
Discus	4	2	5
Hammer Throw		3	5
	44	55	5 47

#### INDIVIDUAL POINT WINNERS

Quimby, '18	19
Capt. Small, '15	17
Stinson, '15	15
Doe, '16	12
O'Brien, '16	10
Snow, '16	10
Lord, '16	10

#### BATES O, MAINE 37

Bates met defeat in the first game of the Maine pennant series by the score of 37-0. Conditions were ideal, both weather and field. The team was full of fight and every Bates man can feel proud of the work we did Saturday. Our men were outweighed by over twenty-five pounds per man.

Maine won the toss and chose the east goal. Bates kicked off, and Maine took the ball, to make only a few short gains before a fumble. Butler recovered it for our team. After one first down, Bates was penalized 15 yards for holding. A forward pass failed and Bates was forced to punt. By a series of rushes Maine took the ball from her 27-yard line for a touchdown. The puntout for a try at goal was a failure. Butler kicked off and Maine made two first downs with a 15-yard penalty for holding just as the period ended.

The second period opened with an eight-yard run for Maine. Then came a punt to Curtin on our 27-yard line. Talbot and Curtin made first down, but we suffered a loss of five yards on a double pass. A forward pass failed and Maine held the ball. The Maine team went down to the 36-yard line, and there Ruffner shot a drop kick over the bar. The remainder of this period was spent in rushes and end runs by both sides. There was no more scoring in this period. Talbot at-



tempted a drop kick but failed to score. The period ended with the ball in Maine's possession on our 10-yard line.

Bates kicked off and Maine was forced to punt. Donahue recovered the ball for Maine and carried it across the line for the second touchdown. During this period Maine was penalized three times, but by means of line plunges and end runs, placed the ball once more over the goal line. Maine held the ball during the whole period.

At the beginning of the final period, Bates held the ball for a short time, but was forced to kick after two first downs. Maine gained possession of the ball, and in two plays scored another touchdown. The final score was made by a 30-yard forward pass and several steady gains by Maine.

The Bates men stuck to the game even in the face of defeat. The cheering squad stood by the team. Through it all there was the finest exhibitions of Bates spirit and of loyal support.

The summary:

MAINE.	BATES.
Donahue, Reardon, l.e. . . . . r.e.,	J. Neville
Boyd, Murray, P. Moulton, l.t.	
	r.t., Manuel, Stillman
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Kruger, Kirk, l.h.b.	
r.h.b., Keaney, Connors, Drew, Stettbacher	
Martin, Kriger, r.h.b.	
l.h.b., DeWever, Curtin, E. Moulton	
Ruffner, f.b. . . . . f.b., Curtin, Butler	

Score—Maine, 37; Bates, 0. Touchdowns—Kirk 2, Ruffner, Donahue, Martin. Goals from touchdown—Ruffner 4. Goals from field—Ruffner. Referee—Hapgood of Brown. Umpire—Dorman of Columbia. Head linesman—Jones of Haverford. Assistant linesmen—Cummings of Bates and Nash of Maine. Time of periods—15 minutes.

## NEW HAMPSHIRE CLUB

The New Hampshire Club held its first meeting this year, Saturday evening, in Fiske Room. Five freshmen were initiated: Florence Clough, Ruth Dresser, Mildred Junkins, Clara Fitts and Mary Hussey. Miss Dresser was elected as freshman member of the executive board. A committee composed of Miss Tilton, '15, Miss Berry, '17, and Miss Clough, '18, was chosen to select a pin for the club. Selections were given by a mandolin trio, Miss Bassett, '15, Miss Cole, '15, and Miss King, '16. Misses Richmond and Berry, '17, sang New Hampshire songs. Games were played and chafing dish refreshments were served.

## CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING

The cross-country squad is working hard these days in preparation for the M. I. C. A. A. Cross-Country Run which takes place in Brunswick Friday, November 6th. Coach Morrill evidently believes in the Cornell plan. Daily he sends the men over Mt. David two or three times, and then out over Pole Hill. Captain Doe and Lane, '18, lead the squad, and ought to do well in the state run. The Inter-Class Cross Country Run will be held Friday, October 30th, at four o'clock. Probably the first seven men will compose the team that goes to Brunswick next week.

## LOCALS

Rev. H. P. Woodin, pastor of High Street Congregational Church, Auburn, conducted the chapel exercises last Monday.

Miss Adrienne Belleau entertained the resident girls of 1915 at her home on Pine Street, Thursday night. The evening was spent in games and music. Chicken sandwiches, saltines, olives, pickles, cake, jelly, and coffee were served. The party broke up after a very enjoyable evening. Those present were Misses Currie, Howard, Folsom, Stuart, Merrill, Wood, Rosenbloom, Chapman, Walsh, and Belleau.



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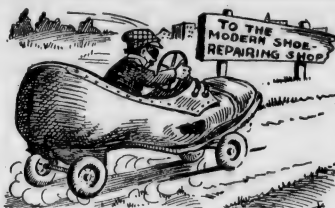
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## CALENDAR.

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5

- 7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.  
8.00 P.M. Lecture, Military Science, by  
Dr. Tubbs, Hathorn Hall.

### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6

- 3.00 P.M. M. I. C. A. A. Cross-Country  
Run at Brunswick.

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7

- 2.30 P.M. Bates vs. Colby at Waterville.

### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9

- 12.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Cabinet Meeting.  
1.30 P.M. Sophomore Preliminary Public  
Speaking.  
6.45 P.M. Men's Bible Study Classes.  
7.30 P.M. Jordan Scientific Society.  
8.00 P.M. Concert by Miss Kline and Mr.  
Macfarlane, Bates Chapel.

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10

- 12.45 P.M. Bible Study Committee.

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

- 12.45 P.M. Campus Service Committee.  
1.30 P.M. Sophomore Preliminary Public  
Speaking.  
6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.  
8.00 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.

## MARY ANTIN LECTURE

Under the auspices of the Woman's Literary Union, Mary Antin, author of "The Promised Land," lectured to a large and attentive audience on Monday evening at the Pine Street Congregational Church. The subject was: "The foreigner in the schools and how to make the most of him." The speaker said in part:

The schools, on the whole, have done well with the foreigner, yet we should go back of the children and make a definite effort to get at the home of the child. We are constantly asking why it is that the foreign children

make such progress. They seem to have wings. It is because of what is back of them, —father, mother, brothers, sisters, and neighbors. It does not take intuition, but hard logic, to tell the teachers that there are other shining examples of what the school can do; there are many Mary Antins, says the principal of an East Side school in New York, if you would only get to be aware of them. What is the difference between me and others? It is that I have the gift of gab. Others have worked hard, but have made no noise about it. It is an easy matter to work with shining material, but bring out the shy, silent ones that have to be drawn out.

How are we to get hold of the foreign children? Jane Addams discovered that there were treasures among the foreigners. Hull House has made the slums of Chicago begin to blossom. We are discovering that there is art in the foreigner. Art is the last bloom on the tree of national development. We have not had time in so short a space to develop art, but we can repeat a thousand times what Jane Addams is doing.

The foreigner learns rapidly because he interprets history in terms of the whole world, and he likes to see what part America plays in the world history. The teacher needs to revise the text-book. American history does begin with the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers. It begins way back to the time when there were no laws. Human experience instructed Moses to write the ten commandments. Make the story of America read so that the foreign child will realize that his fathers had a share in the making of this big world.

The Jewish songs centuries old tell the whole story of the Jews since the expulsion. To have the mothers sing these old songs to their children brings the two generations together. The present method of teaching the child has caused the breaking of the command to honor thy father and mother. We need to know the meaning of America in terms of the old world.

Let the foreigners know what a precious privilege it is that their children can go to school, and make the most of the foreign children for their good and for your good.



### OLIVE KLINE CONCERT

According to many prominent critics who have heard Miss Olive Kline, the young American soprano has a voice of golden promise and musicianship of an uncommon order.

Miss Kline was born in Amsterdam, N. Y., of a line of musicians tracing its ancestry back four centuries to Martin Luther, one of the young singer's progenitors. Both the father and mother of Miss Kline sing, and during generations, many in the family have won distinction as musicians and singers. Unlike most vocal aspirants who go to New York seeking honors, Miss Kline did not carry letters of introduction. Through her friends and her teacher, Herbert Wilber Greene of Carnegie Hall, Miss Kline made acquaintances rapidly.

One Sunday she consented to sing as a substitute in the choir of a leading church. Her voice on this occasion created a real sensation and in less than two months the music committee had engaged her for the solo position.

News of her remarkable voice circulated and she was engaged to make a trial record for the Victor Talking Machine Co. This proved so successful that the management signed a three years' contract with the debutante. Soon after, Miss Kline sang for the proprietor of the Wolfsohn Musical Bureau and was at once booked to fill some concert dates, one of them a joint recital with Titta Ruffo in Detroit, Michigan. Within a year Miss Kline found her name enrolled with famous stars in concert and opera.

Miss Kline will appear at the Bates Chapel with Will C. Macfarlane, the Portland municipal organist, Monday evening, November 9.

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### GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

After the regular chapel exercises on Thursday morning the Girls' Athletic Association held a meeting in Hathorn Hall. Miss Una Mills, '15, presided. After the secretary, Miss Eleanor Newman, '16, had read

the report of the last meeting Miss Frances Malone, '15, gave the treasurer's report. Miss Esther Wadsworth, '15, spoke a few words in the interest of hockey; Miss Ruth Beane, '15, spoke about tennis and Miss Frances Bryant, '16, outlined the plans for volley ball. Miss Gladys Tilton, '15, presented some plans of the Walking Club, and then Miss Alice King, '16, addressed the girls, urging all who are not already members of the Association to become so at once. After this, Miss Bell spoke concerning the repairing of the tennis courts and the grounds around Rand Hall. The Freshmen and Sophomores already have plans whereby they can raise money for more tennis courts and the two upper classes, it is expected, will raise funds to prepare a new hockey field.

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### VESPERS

At the weekly vesper service, Miss Caroline Chase gave to the young women of Bates an interesting account of some of her experiences in Constantinople. The meeting was held in Carnegie Science Hall and Miss Chase's talk was illustrated by lantern slides showing views about the city of Constantinople.

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### LOCALS

The resident girls of the Class of 1915 were very pleasantly entertained, Thursday evening, at a Hallowe'en party given by Miss Gladys Merrill at her home on Pleasant street, Auburn. The guests were greeted at the door by a ghost, and were entertained later by all sorts of tricks of magic and Hallowe'en games. After a delightful social evening, Miss Merrill invited her guests to the dining room which was lighted by huge jack-o'-lanterns, and here a Hallowe'en lunch was served, consisting of Welsh rarebit, cider, doughnuts, fancy cookies, olives, pickles, apples, and grapes. Those present were Adrienne Belleau, Vera Chapman, Annie Folsom, Viola Nevens, Cecilia Walsh, Elizabeth Wood, Sarah Rosenbloom, and Ida Currie.



## BATES 27, BOWDOIN 0

Saturday, Oct. 31, 1914, is a day that the present student body of Bates will never forget. One of the finest football games of the season was played on Whittier field when Bates outclassed Bowdoin and won the second championship game of the year, 27-0.

From the first sound of the whistle, the Bates team was in the game to stay and to win. Every play went off in clock-like fashion, and every man was putting up the fight of the year. The open game was the program, and the work with the forward pass was nothing less than of the first order.

Bates kicked off to Bowdoin, and for a starter forced the Brunswick team to punt. Two hundred and fifty rooters on the Bates bleachers began and continued to turn out cheers worthy of a winning team. Bates returned the punt, and Gustin was on the spot to take Colbath's fumble and place the ball on Bowdoin's twenty-yard line. Three attempts placed the ball on the 13-yard line. Talbot then took the 25-yard line and scored a field goal. Bates received the ball from Bowdoin and working the double pass, placed the ball on the 25-yard line. A forward pass, Talbot to Boyd, brought 14 yards. Bates was forced to punt when two forward passes failed. After one first down, Bowdoin was forced to punt. The ball went outside on Bates' 25-yard line. Bates held the ball for the rest of the period, making two forward passes, Talbot to Butler for eight yards, and Talbot to Boyd for fifteen yards.

At the start of the second period, Connor, Talbot, and Butler made first down. Talbot threw a forward pass which Nevens caught on his one-yard line, adding five more. Nevens punted to Talbot on Bowdoin's 24-yard line. Bates was penalized 15 yards for holding, but quickly made up the distance with two forward passes, each for a gain of 15 yards.

At this time Bowdoin played her best game, holding us for downs within her one-yard line. Several plays followed which resulted in no special gains for either side. There was an exchange of punts, and on a

double pass Bowdoin lost ten yards. In the last play of the period DeWever made ten yards on a fake kick formation.

Bates received the kick-off at the third period and placed the ball on the 45-yard line. Bowdoin received the ball when Talbot was forced outside. After several plays and an exchange of punts, Talbot rushed the ball from his 10-yard line to the 42-yard line. Talbot recovered a pass; Butler made ten yards, and Talbot shot a pass over the line to Boyd who made a splendid catch. Manuel kicked the goal. Score—10-0.

Bowdoin kicked off, and the ball changed hands twice, before Curtin intercepted it on the 40-yard line and added to the score. Manuel kicked the goal. Score, 17-0.

The next kick-off went to Talbot, who caught it on his fifteen-yard line and was within six yards of another score before he was downed. Butler then shot a drop kick over the bar, increasing the score to 20.

Davis pulled down the next kick-off and reached the 35-yard line. Four plays added 27 more, when the ball went to Bowdoin. Then a forward pass was blocked and W. Neville took the ball 48 yards for the final score.

Swift received the last kick-off. Then Davis made an end-run to the 25-yard line just as the time was up.

The summary:

BATES	BOWDOIN
Murray, l.e.....	r.e., Chapman, Floyd
Clifford, Stillman, J.	Neville, l.t.
	r.t., Leadbetter, Austin
Gustin, l.g.....	r.g., Brewster
Merrill, c.....	c., Stone
W. Neville, r.g.....	l.g., Moulton
Manuel, r.t.....	l.t., Lewis
Boyd, Swift, r.e.....	l.e., Wood, C. Foster
Talbot, Pidgeon, Davis,	q.b.
	q.b., Shumway, Mannix, MacCormick
Connor, Stettbacher, Curtin,	l.h.b.
	r.h.b., Colbath
Butler, r.h.b.....	l.h.b., Nevens
DeWever, f.b.....	f.b., Dyer, H. Foster

Score—Bates, 27. Touchdowns—Boyd, Curtin, W. Neville. Goals from touchdowns—Manuel 3. Goals from the field—Talbot, Butler. Referee—Murphy (Harvard). Umpire, Brown (B. A. A.) Head Linesman, Kelley (P. A. C.) Time of periods, 15 min.



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Don't forget the Colby game at Waterville,  
Saturday.

## FOOTBALL

Last Saturday we did that which seemed the impossible to the prophets. We defeated Bowdoin by the largest score in nearly twenty years. And what was it that brought us this splendid victory? It was hard work, patient and careful coaching, playing the game with spirit and determination.

Nearly every man in the College was in the Bates cheering section and several of the women were in attendance. Of course we can win when we are supported. Nothing cheers the heart of the gridiron hero more than to be cheered on, either in the face of victory or defeat. It has often been said, that it is easy to support a winning team, but if we do not get behind our men we cannot hope for a victory.

Next Saturday we meet Colby at Waterville. Colby's strength should not be underestimated. She has defeated Bowdoin by a large score, and clearly proved herself the superior of Maine's aggregation. But do not hesitate in the face of these facts as regards her strength. Every man will agree that no matter what the outcome, our warriors will fight to the last ditch. Now let us determine that we will make Colby our destination next Saturday and support our team in a manner that shall express our real Bates spirit.

## Y. W. C. A.

The first missionary meeting of the year was held Wednesday evening, October 28, in Fiske room. The meeting was in charge of Miss Cole, '15, chairman of the Missionary Department, and was addressed by Miss Elizabeth Perkins, Bates, '05, of Alfred, Maine. Miss Perkins has been a missionary in Foo Chow, China, since her graduation from Bates, and is about to return to her work there after nearly a year's leave of absence. Miss Perkins' talk upon her work among the Chinese girls was very interesting and helpful. During the evening a piano solo was rendered by Miss Roberts, '15, and a vocal solo by Miss Ingersoll, '18. Miss Perkins met the Student Volunteers after the Y. W. C. A. meeting.

Mrs. Weyer, of Portland, Secretary for Student Work, also addressed the girls at the meeting.

## HALLOWE'EN PARTY

Last Friday evening, Oct. 30th, a real Halloween Party was held in Rand Hall. The decorations were fitting for the occasion, the special feature being the array of cornstalks about Fiske Room. Witches and pumpkins were numerous.

About eight o'clock the weird forms began to arrive until Rand Hall became the haunted house, shrouded in mystery. Among the interesting places were the various booths; popcorn balls at one, fishing for fortunes at another, and throwing the bean bag for candy, or tossing the ring at another.



The gymnasium offered the chance to bob for apples, or take a shot at the dodger with a tennis ball to win a doughnut.

Cider and pie and other refreshments were on sale in the dining room. The fortune tellers took up their abode in this room also, and many received new visions of the future.

Toward the close of the evening, the entire party gathered in Fiske Room. After the grand march Auctioneers Drew and Howe sold the remains to the highest bidder. The judges then announced their decision on the best costume, giving the prize to Ernest Upham, '17.

#### Y. M. C. A.

Last Wednesday the College entertained R. A. Waite, the International Y. M. C. A. Secretary. Mr. Waite gave a talk at the Chapel exercises in the morning, and immediately after dinner met the leaders and sub-leaders of the Bible Study groups.

In the evening Mr. Waite spoke at the regular Y. M. C. A. meeting, taking as his subject, "Power." He told some of the wonderful demonstrations of power that are being shown in various parts of our country. The word could well be used as illustrative of this great age. Each individual is possessed with power. It may be the power to make money. Money in itself is one of the great powers of the world. Knowledge is another of the world powers. Yet above all these things, a man must take into his life Christ to bring out the power of his own individuality.

#### RED CROSS DAY

Friday, Oct. 30, was observed as Red Cross Day by the Bates girls. The Social Service Committee of the Young Women's Christian Association is taking the lead and rousing enthusiasm in the interest of the American Red Cross Association. The specific form of the movement at Bates is for the girls to give at least five cents and as much more as they feel they can. In the near future, it is planned to give teas when the girls will meet to make useful articles for the soldiers, listen to various accounts of the war, and learn in just what way they can be of the best

service. Misses Mildred Bassett, '15, Gladys Tilton, '15, Charlotte Piper, '16, Aura Emerson, '16, Ruth Sturgis, '17, Agnes Grahame, '18, and Freda Fish, '18, have been appointed as a committee to receive funds. Every college girl is urged to do what she can to further this great movement.

#### INTER-CLASS CROSS-

#### COUNTRY RACE

The Freshmen won the Inter-Class Cross-Country Race which was held on Friday, October 30th. The Seniors did not enter any men in the run. Only the first four men in each class counted. The Sophomores took second and the Juniors third place.

Out of the sixteen men entered, fourteen started and finished the race. Captain Doe, '16, took the lead at the beginning and held it until Lane, '18, passed him within a mile of the finish. This race brought to light a good distance-man in the person of Mitchell, '18, who finished third. With further training he ought to rival Lane and Doe. The order of the finish was as follows: Lane, '18, 1st; Doe, '16, 2d; Mitchell, '18, 3d; Cate, '17, 4th; Weber, '17, 5th; House, '17, 6th; Snow, '16, 7th; DeWolfe, '18, 8th; Lawrence, '18, 9th; Holmes, '18, 10th; Benvie, '16, 11th; Tucker, '16, 12th; Green, '17, 13th; Swett, '18, 14th.

The score: 1918, 21; 1917, 28; 1916, 32.

The first seven men earned places on the team that will go to Brunswick Friday, Nov. 6th, to compete in the M. I. C. A. A. Cross-Country Race. Although Bates does not expect to win this race, she does intend to make a good showing.

#### STUDENT ADVISERS' OFFICE HOURS

Each student is required to meet his adviser, who will be found at the place designated below, between ten and eleven o'clock on the Thursday following the last Sunday in each month.

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### DESTINY

O, life, with ceaseless quest we look to thee,  
 When glad, exultant, tread we firm the  
     morning paths,  
 At noon with eager glance we seek the hills;  
 Then, wearied, gaze, at length, in star-lit  
     pools,  
 Whose deeps reflect the hope that haunts our  
     souls.  
 Tho priests and creeds, man's toil, and na-  
     ture's might  
 Speak to the questioning soul, it seeks a star,  
 And upward looks. For what? We leave  
     our tasks,  
 And call on God to make us men. Oh, fools!  
 With God in you, rise up, and scale the  
     heights.  
 Ask not to walk, as crippled, with supports,  
 But let your soul's own strength its power  
     awake,  
 Go forward, that at last in being God,  
 And only then, it knows God's Truth, and  
     finds  
 An everlasting answer to its quest.

1916.

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### ALUMNI NOTES

1880—Harry L. Merrill of Hutchinson, Minn., has just been elected president of the Minnesota Educational Association.

1882—Henry S. Bullen is Principal of Day Schools of the Central Department, Y. M. C. A. Institute, Chicago, Ill.

1884—Colonel Mark Hersey is stationed with the United States Army in the Philippines.

1887—U. G. Wheeler is the new Superintendent of Schools of Newton, Mass.

1897—Carl E. Milliken has been elected president of the Maine Association of Charities and Corrections.

1898—Dr. John P. Sprague of Chicago, has been appointed to the position of physical instructor in Grinnell College, Iowa.

Tileston E. Woodside is Judge Newell's new law partner. Soon after November 1, they will have a fine suite of offices in the new Manufacturers' Bank building.

1903—George E. Stebbins has a daughter, Margaret, born Aug. 30.

1904—F. F. Dunfield is principal of the high school in Portsmouth, N. H.

1906—Florence E. Hamblen is teaching in the high school at Freeport, Me.

1907—On Monday, June 22, occurred the marriage of Dora Parker, Bates '07, of Spencer, Massachusetts, and Mr. Frederick Seaman Allen. They will be at home in Lynn, Massachusetts.

Alice W. Churchill is a teacher in Oak Grove Seminary.

1908—Thomas S. Bridges is principal of Lee Normal Academy, Lee, Me.

Elsie Blanchard is a student in the Woman's Medical College of Philadelphia.

1909—Alzie E. Lane is teaching mathematics in the Morse High School, Bath, Me.

1909—Frederick M. Peckham is submaster in the high school of Natick, Mass.

1910—September 2, occurred the marriage of Nellie Anette Barker to Pearl Garfield Cunningham. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham are living in Oldtown.

1910—Mildred J. Jones is a teacher in the sixth grade of the public schools of Cheyenne, Wyoming. Her address is 1315 E. 18th St.

Charles E. Merrill is principal of the high school at Boothbay Harbor, Me.

1911—Mr. and Mrs. Pascal E. Braun announce the marriage of their daughter, Una



E. Braun, Bates 1911, to Mr. George B. Shattuck, on Saturday, October the third, at Kittery, Me.

1913—Esther Huckins is teaching in Sanborn Seminary, Kingston, N. H.

Alice Smith is at her home in Ashland, N. H.

Frank Jewett is principal of the George Stevens Academy at Bluehill, Me.

1913—The marriage of Miss Elaine Currier to Mr. Wesley Eastman took place August 31, at the bride's home. Mr. and Mrs. Eastman reside in East Lansing, Michigan, where Mr. Eastman is an instructor in the State Agricultural College.

Florence Day is teaching for the second year in the high school at Hampstead, New Hampshire.

Gladys Golden is studying chemistry and dyeing in the Lowell (Mass.) Textile School.

Jeanie Graham has begun her second year in the Bangor Theological Seminary.

Mildred Goudy teaches in the high school at Gorham, Me.

Lulene Pillsbury is assistant at the Lewiston W. C. A., for the second year.

In August, Ruby Whitehouse was married to Mr. Walter Curtis. They are living in Presque Isle, where Mr. Curtis is employed by the State Forestry Department.

Hazel Currier is a member of the teaching staff of Proctor Academy, at Andover, N. H.

Wm. R. Kempton is submaster of Brewer High School, Brewer, Me.

Rachel Thing is teaching in the South Portland High School.

H. C. Alley is studying at M. I. T., Boston, Mass.

Wade Grindle is principal of Corinna Academy, Corinna, Me.

Howard R. Houston is Superintendent of Schools for the district of Kingman-Mattawamkeag, Me.

The wedding of Ruby Dorothy Whitehouse, Bates, 1913, to Mr. Walter Edson Curtis, took place on Tuesday, August eleventh.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis will be at home in Presque Isle, Me.

1913—Guy H. Gove is principal of the high school in Mapleton, Me.

On August 15 was the marriage of Leon E. Cash, Bates, '13, to Miss Ruth Esther Chick at Litchfield, Me. Mr. Cash is principal of Litchfield Academy.

1913—Karl D. Lee is principal of the High School at Jonesport, Me.

The wedding of Shirley J. Rawson, Bates, 1914, to Miss Bessie L. Cole of South Paris, took place on Tuesday, June 30. Mr. Rawson is principal of the Brownville High School.

Alice Wandtke is assistant in the High School at Brownville, Me.

Wilbert S. Warren and J. Frank Hill are located at Isle of Pines, West Indies.

Lloyd B. Ham is teaching in Rockland High School.

Rebecca Segal is principal of the high school at Wayne, Me.

Rachel Sargent is teaching in Westbrook Seminary.

Marion B. Lord is perceptress of Leavitt Institute, Turner, Me.

Charles E. Hadley is situated in Bennington, Vt.

Wm. Small is studying at the Maine Medical School at Brunswick.

1914—Lloyd C. Allen is teaching in the Rockville, Conn., High School.

Rachel Sargent teaches Latin at Westbrook Seminary.

Ruth Sylvester is teaching English and Latin in the high school at Shelburne Falls, Mass.

Harold Clapp has a fine position as teacher of mathematics in the Willimantic High School, Willimantic, Conn.

1914—Bertha McDaniel is teaching at North Lebanon, Me. She has 8th grade work and second year high school work.

Jasper Haggerty is principal of the high school at Belgrade, Maine.

Edith Fales is teaching in Camden High School, Camden, Me.



Saturday, October 24, occurred the marriage of Dora C. Tash, Bates 1914, and Joseph E. Plumstead, Bates 1913.



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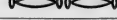
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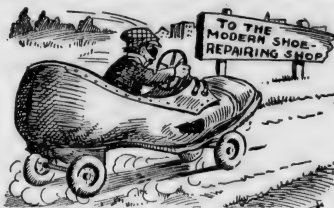
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12

- 1.30 P.M. Sophomore Preliminary Prize Speaking  
7.15 P.M. Spofford Club

### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13

- 7.30 P.M. Men's Literary Societies  
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16  
12.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Cabinet Meeting  
2.30 P.M. Sophomore Preliminary Public Speaking  
6.45 P.M. Men's Bible Study Classes.

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17

- 12.45 P.M. Bible Study Committee  
2.30 P.M. Sophomore Preliminary Prize Speaking  
8.00 P.M. Lecture, Military Science, by Dr. Tubbs, Hathorn Hall

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18

- 12.45 P.M. Campus Service Committee  
6.45 P.M. Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. Joint Meeting. Address by Rev. Mr. Leslie of Auburn.  
8.00 P.M. Student Volunteer Band  
8.00 P.M. George Colby Chase Lecture by Albert B. Hart, "The Effect on the U. S. of the opening of the Panama canal."

## CONCERT IN CHAPEL

Upon last Monday evening a concert was given in the chapel by Mr. Will C. Macfarlane, municipal organist of Portland, and Miss Olive Kline, soprano soloist of New York City. The chapel was well filled and each number was received with great appreciation by the audience.

The program:

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|--------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Concert Overture in C | <i>Hollins</i>      |
| 2. Andante Cantabile     | <i>Tschaikowsky</i> |
| 3. Minuet in G           | <i>Beethoven</i>    |
| 4. a. Du bist die Ruh    | <i>Schubert</i>     |
| b. Widmung               | <i>Schumann</i>     |
| c. Morgen                | <i>Strauss</i>      |
| d. Meine Liebe ist grün  | <i>Brahms</i>       |
- MISS KLINE

5. a. *Morning*  
b. Death of Ase  
(Peer Gynt Suite) *Grieg*  
6. Fugue in A minor *Bach*  
7. a. Remembrance *Macfarlane*  
b. Sylvelin (by request) *Sinding*  
c. Berceuse, from "Jocelyn" *Godard*  
MISS KLINE  
8. Funeral March of a Marionette *Gounod*  
9. Largo by request) *Handel*  
10. Scherzo *Macfarlane*  
a. German  
b. French  
11. c. Italian } Folk Songs  
d. Scotch  
e. American }  
MISS KLINE  
12. a. Liebestod, "Tristan und Isolde"  
b. Prelude  
c. Introduction to Act III and  
Bridal Chorus  
d. March, "Tannhäuser"  
"Lohengrin" *Wagner*

## ROUND TABLE

Prof. and Mrs. F. E. Pomeroy entertained the Bates Round Table at their home on College Street, Thursday evening. The speaker of the evening was Prof. A. Craig Baird who took as his subject, "Indiana Literature." Prof. Baird mentioned the large number of Indiana writers and illustrated his talk by speaking of Edward Eggleston as an example of the dialect school. Lew Wallace was a writer of romantic novels. Other noted Indiana writers mentioned were Booth Tarkington, Charles Major and Meredith Nicholson. Of the Indiana poets James Whitcomb Riley was suggested as the best known.

At the close of Prof. Baird's paper there was a discussion of the subject by Prof. Carol, Mr. Coleman, Prof. Chase, Prof. Stanton and Prof. Anthony. Prof. Pomeroy was appointed a new member of the executive committee. Refreshments were served.



## PETER, THE CHILD

You are acquainted, are you not, with Peter Pan, the little boy who didn't grow up? Well, that is why everyone called Hope Carter Peter, because Hope would not grow up. Of course in some respects, she had grown up. She was a college senior and an unusually dependable young lady (many people said). But you forgot all these things when you saw Peter running a race up the path, or stopping to make mud pies with the children beside the road. For Peter could make the most delicious mud pies—and at playing marbles she was an expert, as many small boys could tell you.

One day in spring, Peter raced up stairs and into the room where her roommate was busy translating her next day's Faust. "Kathryn Simmons, I've got something to tell you that will make you most tumble over."

"Um. What does 'faune?' mean? I never can remember?" Kathryn was used to Peter's ways and was never unduly disturbed by them.

"Kathryn, pay attention to me. I have got a position offered me for next year," said Peter, impressively.

"Honest? Where?" asked Kathryn, dropping her German dictionary in her surprise.

"This morning," said Peter, delighted with the impression she had made, "Dr. Lord stopped me after class and said a superintendent was visiting him and wanted a preceptress for a big girls' school. He wanted some one, he said, who could control the girls, and must have a superabundance of dignity, etc. Dr. Lord said he recommended me highly and he was quite sure I'd get the position. I don't know what I did, but I guess pretty nearly dropped dead."

"Well, no wonder, Peter. My, but I'm proud of you. What's the salary?"

"Now don't faint—it's \$900. I've got to teach Latin. I'd a lot rather do something with children, but I'm glad now I've got this chance to try for."

"Glad of it, so am I. Think of it Peter, \$900!" cried Kathryn, quite overcome with the thought, "goodness, you're a smart child."

"No, I'm not, I haven't got it yet and probably I shan't, either. I've got to go down to

Dr. Lord's to meet the man this afternoon. Dr. Lord said it made all the difference in the world how I impressed him this afternoon as he's very particular about having somebody dignified. Just you think of the \$900, Kathryn."

"Ur—you don't know me yet."

"Yes I do, too," cried Kathryn, trying to appear very stern, "you will never, never grow up."

"My dear child, I've always noticed that when you have to do a thing, you *do* do it. Next year I'll be as stiff as a ramrod. They'll all call me 'Ramrod' for a nickname. I'm going to practice this afternoon and you'll see what an impression I'll make."

"Well, maybe," said Kathryn, still doubtfully. "But for goodness sake, Peter, don't begin to hop when you go up Dr. Lord's front walk. And, Peter, I shall pray all the while you are gone that you won't see Danny Lord and Molly White making mud pies on your way down there."

"I don't see what difference that would make," answered Peter, loftily. "I should pass them with a casual smile. My dear, I'm afraid you greatly underrate my strength of character."

"No, I don't, but I know you. If you see those children you will be in the middle of a puddle with them in two seconds."

"You just wait and see," replied Peter. "I have made up my mind to be extremely sedate, and I shall."

Now Peter really and truly intended to be very dignified, and she was when she left Kathryn. It happened to be one of those enticing afternoons in early spring when nature seems to be coaxing every one to join in a frolic. A little robin hopped jauntily across her path as if to say, "Come on, let's have some fun." Peter sternly put aside temptation and walked as stiff as a ramrod, just like she had declared she would. But, alas, Kathryn's prayers were in vain, for exactly in front of Dr. Lord's lawn were not only Danny Lord and Molly White, but several other small children as well. There was a sound of loud voices, and one or two little girls were crying,



while several little boys were plastering each other with mud. Forgotten were Dr. Lord, the superintendent, and the \$900 position, as Peter, the peace-maker, dashed across the street.

"Danny stepped on my nice plum puddin'," said one little girl, rubbing her eyes on Peter's skirt.

"Didn't, neither," declared the valiant Danny.

"I tell you what," said Peter briskly. "Do you want to know how to make a brand new kind of chocolate turnovers? Danny, will you bring me some of those plums over there?" pointing to some bright red berries which still clung to a bush on Dr. Lord's lawn. "We'll sprinkle some sugar on top, Molly," she went on carefully sifting white sand over her turnover.

The children viewed the result with admiration. "There," said Peter, "that's done fine and now we'll make a birthday cake. Suppose you all hunt and find the prettiest stones you can to decorate it with." Peter and the children fell to work in real earnest. Forgotten was the strife in the zeal of finding suitable decorations for the wonderful birthday cake. Peter herself became so interested that soon she was on her knees in the soft earth. The cake was certainly a beautiful creation—large and flat and studded with bright stones. Peter looked at it with pardonable pride when suddenly she caught sight of two amused faces in the window, one Dr. Lord's, the other undoubtedly the superintendent's. Peter cast a dismayed glance at her skirt, the front all mud where she had knelt in the street. One glove was full of water and the other couldn't be found. "I never wished so much before that I was a mud turtle so I could hide myself in a puddle," Peter declared afterwards to Kathryn.

Dr. Lord was already at the door. "Come right in, Miss Carter. That's all right, don't mind the mud."

There was no avenue of escape, so, with all the dignity she could muster, Peter walked in and was ushered into the presence of the superintendent.

"So you are the young lady who wishes to be a preceptress," said the superintendent. "Doubtless you would be very capable, but I

fear we need someone a little older for the position."

"Yes," said Peter, meekly, "I guess it was spring and that made me forget."

"And the children," added the superintendent with a smile.

"Yes," answered Peter. "You don't always have a chance to make chocolate turnovers and sometimes they are very necessary."

"I see. You are very fond of children, are you not, Miss Carter?"

"Oh, yes indeed," answered Peter eagerly, "there is nothing in this world I like to do as well as to be with children."

The superintendent smiled. "I thought so. Do you know, Miss Carter, I think I know of a position which would just suit you. A friend of mine is in charge of a home in the country and he is looking for some one who will have general charge of the children. It seems to me you would be just the one. He wants some one to mother the children and stop their little quarrels as you did to these children just now. How would you like that position?"

Peter forgot her assumed dignity and clapped her hands like her natural self. "Would I? I'd rather do that than anything else I know of in this whole, wide world."

"That's fine. The salary would be less than \$900 at first, but I have no doubt that it would soon be raised to much higher."

"But about the school position," said Dr. Lord, "I think Miss Simmons would be excellent for that, don't you, Miss Carter? Let's see, she's your roommate, isn't she?"

"There, Kathryn Simmons," said Peter, when it was all over, "you can't scold me any more for not growing up, for if I had grown up neither of us would have gotten such splendid positions."

—1915.

#### SPOFFORD CLUB

On Tuesday evening the young ladies of Spofford Club entertained at Fiske Room, Rand Hall. After the literary program and the following informal discussion, chafing dish refreshments were served.



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## SOCIAL SERVICE

The development of social service under the management of special committees in the Y. M. C. A. is one of the most admirable and hopeful features of modern progress, and the large number of college men who are enlisting in the work are living testimonies of its value and permanence.

It was not so many years ago that anything pertaining to settlement work was left to a few sympathetic people of wealth, or to occasional workers in the various churches. This often led to indolence and poverty rather than the stimulation of a healthy, wholesome condition in the society sought to be benefited.

Bates has always been more or less active along several lines of social service. Men have conducted foreign classes, deputation teams have been sent out into the surrounding counties, foreign club-rooms visited, and everywhere they have been received most kindly. This is proof to show that the people are ready to receive when we are ready to give.

During the coming winter a definite schedule for several deputation teams is being planned. The work will consist mainly of holding a series of meetings with the young people of each community visited, the organization of young people's societies in connection with the church, and encouraging the young people to take up some active line of Christian work.

There are a large number of churches in the outlying districts of our state that are empty. The charge is either neglected entirely or supplied by a pastor who is already overworked. Here is a real problem. How is it to be met? In a large majority of cases it is due almost entirely to the indifferent attitude, which the young people of the community have assumed. This attitude must be changed before we can hope for an improvement. This is the problem which the deputation committee must meet, and it is believed that it can be most efficiently accomplished by the college men of the country.

## STATE COMMUNITY

### EFFICIENCY CONFERENCE

A large delegation from college are to attend the State Community Efficiency Conference to be held in Augusta, Nov. 13, 14 and 15, 1914. The plan is to bring together representatives of the State and college Y. M. C. A.'s of Maine State Grange, State Board of Trade, State Sunday School Association, State Denominational Agencies, Christian Civic League and other up-lifting agencies.

The plan is to consider the common problem of community betterment, to study the constructive and destructive agencies in the community and plans to avoid duplication of effort thruout the state.

Among the speakers to be heard at that time are Fred B. Smith of the H. Johns Manville Co., of New York, an active business man and a leader in the layman movement.

Edward T. Devine, director of the New York School of Philanthropy and Editor of the Survey Magazine as well as head of the United Charities of New York City.

Warren H. Wilson of New York, Superintendent of the Department of Country Life of the General Board of the Presbyterian



Church, and Albert E. Roberts of New York, already known throughout this part of the country as a great speaker, and has recently been a member of the American Commission appointed by President Wilson to go abroad for the purpose of studying rural conditions in Europe.

Among the representatives from Bates are: Messrs. Clifford, Dolloff, Knight, Mansfield, Manuel, Moore, Moulton, G. B., Moulton, J. L., Saxton, Swift and Witham of 1915. Messrs. Blaisdell, Drew, Merrill, Sherman and Van Tobel of 1916. Dr. Purinton, Dean Andrews and Sec. Rowe.

### HALLOWE'EN PARTY

The annual Hallowe'en party given by the Christian Associations, Friday evening, October 30, proved a great success. Fiske Hall, the dining-room, and the gymnasium were all in use, very prettily decorated with corn stalks, pumpkins, autumn leaves, etc. Costumes of all kinds were worn and the scene was very attractive. Games were played in the Gymnasium and in Fiske Hall, while in the dining-room the usual refreshments of pie, cider, corn balls, candy, etc., were served. Here also were fortune tellers who were well patronized.

Just before the party broke up, the prizes were awarded, an auction was held, and a grand march was formed. The evening closed with the singing of Alma Mater.

### FOOTBALL "B's"

At a meeting of the Athletic Advisory Board Monday, November 9th, the following men were awarded a football "B": Boyd, '16, Butler, '17, E. Clifford, '15, Curtin, '18, Conners, '17, Davis, '17, DeWever, '17, Gustin, '15, Manuel, '15, Merrill, '16, Murray, '17, J. Neville, '18, W. Neville, '18, Pidgeon, '15, Swift, '15, Stillman, '16, Stettbacher, '17, Talbot, '15, Manager Moulton, Captain Moore.

John Butler, '17, was elected captain for next season's football team.

### POLITICS CLUB

At the Politics Club held last Wednesday evening in Libbey Forum, Dr. Tubbs gave a very interesting discussion of the European War. He showed that past treaties, international law, and the Hague conferences, have been ignored by the different countries in the final test, and brought out the present position of the different countries one to the other. He also stated his conviction in the advisability of strong military organization in our own country as a fair means of protection to ourselves in case of difficulties arising out of this war.

### Y. M. C. A.

The regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was devoted to a discussion of the Northfield Conference by the 1914 delegates. Mr. Witham presided and the following spoke: Mr. J. L. Moulton, "Social Life at the Conference;" Mr. Stillman "Types of Speakers;" Mr. Gustin, "Bible Study." Mr. Rowe and Mr. Saxton made general remarks. Other 1914 delegates were Mr. G. B. Moulton and Mr. Boothby.

### BATES o, COLBY 61

The Bates football season ended with the Colby game, and Bates claims third place in the championship series. Although meeting with a serious defeat at Colby, our team deserves great commendation for the way it stuck to the game. Every man showed the fighting spirit, and especially deserves credit for the manner in which he met the situation, though often under provocation.

Colby received 167 yards penalty during the course of the game. Bates was penalized four times for being offside. Several of the men received bruises but there was no serious injury for either side.

At the start of the game, Bates kicked off to Colby, and she was not able to recover the ball again until after Colby had made one score. The first score was made on straight line plunges.

After the second kick-off, Bates held Colby for downs and forced a punt. Upon receiving the ball, Bates tried a series of forward passes which netted 22 yards. Another pass was intercepted, and Colby held the ball until she again scored, after two 15-yard penalties.



Talbot received the next kick-off and made first down on line plunges. The period ended with Butler finishing a 7-yard gain and placing the ball on Bates' 48-yard line. The second period started with several gains by the Bates team with line plunges. Several forward passes were tried but these were knocked down by the Colby men. Colby held for downs in the center of the field and received the ball. In the next three plays Colby made large gains, but was penalized twice. A series of plays followed which resulted in Bates obtaining the ball. Bates was held for downs and punted. Colby soon took the ball over the line. Score, 20-0. The rest of this period was spent by the Colby team in increasing the score. Bates held the ball a few times but was unable to make large gains. The half ended with a score of 40-0.

Butler kicked off at the beginning of the second half, and Colby took the ball down the field for another touchdown using the line plunges. On receiving the ball from the kick-off, Bates made a series of gains getting near enough to the goal to try a drop. This was blocked, and Colby took the ball. A series of plays and the ball came to Bates, who in turn lost it on an intercepted forward pass. Colby made gains for another score. Near the end of the third period Connors was injured and taken from the field.

Colby made her last score toward the first of the last period. Both teams rushed in substitutes at this time. Colby was penalized half the distance to her goal line for having 12 men on the field. Bates made several gains when in possession of the ball, and Butler attempted a field goal which failed. Colby had the ball in the center of the field when the game closed.

## COLBY

T. Cross, l.e.....r.e., Boyd, W. Neville Daicey, l.t.....r.t., Manuel, Stillman Deasey, Kolseth, Joyce, l.g.

r.g., J. Neville, Russell

Stanwood, Ramsdell, c...c., Harding, Merrill Lesseur, Thompson, Burton, Taft, r.g.

l.g., Gustin, Harding

Ladd, McCormick, r.t.

l.t., E. Clifford, Shattuck Royal, Perry, r.e.....l.e., Murray, Swift A. Fraser, Goffing, q.b.

q.b., Talbot, Davis, Pidgeon P. Fraser, Golden, Shuster, B. Crossman, l.h.b.....r.h.b., Butler Lowney, Hammerschlag, r.h.b.

l.h.b., Connors, Curtin Cauley, f.b.....f.b., DeWever, Moulton, Drew, Stettbacher, Connors, Curtin, Wilbur, Keaney, Moulton.

Score: Colby, 61; Bates, 0. Touchdowns—P. Fraser, 2; Lowney, 4; T. Crossman, 2; Perry. Goals from touchdown—Fraser 2, Royal 4, Cauley. Referee—Murphy of Harvard. Umpire—Jones of Haverford. Head linesman—Reade of Springfield Y. M. C. A. Time of periods—15 min.

## LOCALS

The Y. W. C. A. of the college held its annual children's party, Saturday evening. Various kinds of children's games were played and refreshments were served.

The Girls' Walking Club left Rand Hall, Saturday noon, for a "hike" up the river where they had luncheon.

## M. I. C. A. A. CROSS COUNTRY RUN

The University of Maine won the third annual Maine inter-collegiate cross-country run by the score of 26 points. The run was held last Friday, November 6th, on the Bowdoin five-mile course. Colby took second place with 39 points: Bates, third, with 65; Bowdoin fourth with 91 points. Bell of Maine won the race. Colby's first man to enter was second; Bates' was fifth, and Bowdoin's thirteenth.

The Bates team did much better than was expected of them and really made a fine showing considering the calibre of the veteran distance-runners of Maine and Colby. Lane, '18, finished fifth and came within three yards of beating Preti of Maine, who won the cross-country last year and broke the record in the two-mile race last spring. Captain Doe, although stricken with pains when about three miles from the finish, pluckily kept on running and finished in eighth place. Cate, '17, came in fifteenth; Mitchell, '18, seventeenth; and Weber, twentieth.



## SENIOR-JUNIOR SOCIETY

The Senior-Junior Literary Society met Friday evening, November the 6th, in Polymnia Room, Libbey Forum. Gladys Tilton, '15, who was elected president last spring, presided, and Ida F. Kimball, '15, was secretary *pro tem*. Officers were elected as follows:

Vice-President—Harriet Johnson, '16.

Secretary—Winnifred Jewell, '15.

Treasurer—Marjorie Bradbury, '16.

Executive Board:

Dept. I: Dramatics, Elizabeth Wood, '15.

Dept. II: Debating, Frances Bryant, '15.

Dept. III: Original Work, Mabel Dugan, '15.

Following the business session, the following program was enjoyed:

Piano Solo                     Adrienne Belleau, '15

Current Events,             Bethania Tucker, '15

Reading                       Hazel Mitchell, '16

Then all joined in the singing of Alma Mater. Thirty-two of the thirty-five members were present at the meeting.

## ENTRE NOUS

The Freshman Literary Club, Entre Nous, met Thursday evening in Fiske room. Officers were elected as follows:

President—Ruth Dresser.

Vice-President—Gladys Pennell.

Secretary—Marion Fogg.

Board of Directors—Laura Mansfield, Mary Hussey, Mary Jacobs.

The date of the next meeting was left to the executive board. After the business meeting, Doris Ingersoll gave a sketch of Portland; Laura Mansfield, a piano solo, and Annie Leathers, a mandolin solo.

## U. A. C. C.

The Up-and-Coming Club, composed of Juniors and Sophomores, also held a meeting Friday evening in Libbey Forum and elected officers. The purpose of the club is to have two branches with thirty-five members each, to take up music, literary work, current events and dramatic study. These branches are to meet every two weeks and every other meeting is to be a joint meeting.

The following officers were elected:

President—Alma Gregory, '16.

Vice-President—Eleanor Seales, '17.

Sec. and Treas.—Gladys Mower, '16.

Executive Committee—Flora Warren, '16; Mildred Robertson, '16; Amy Hayden, '16; Ruth Lewis, '17; Genevieve Dunlap, '17; and Grace Berry, '17.

## ALUMNI NOTES

1893—In the Freshman class of Bates College are three members who are children of members of the class of 1893—Edward Bailey Moulton, son of Lorenzo E. and Alma Bailey Moulton; Gladys M. Pennell, daughter of Dr. Edgar L. Pennell; Stanley Ward Spratt, son of Chesman C. Spratt.

1901—Leo C. Demack is president of the Get-Together Club of St. Peters Parish, Beverly, Mass. The club has two objects: "One is to promote the best interests of the parish, and the other is to promote a brotherly feeling of respect and helpfulness among the men."

1908—Phebe R. Bool is teaching in the high school in Rockland, Mass.

Thomas J. Cate is pastor of the Baptist Church of Chester, N. H.

1909—Louis B. Woodward is teaching Science in the State Normal School at Gorham.

1909—Dr. S. A. Cobb has recently located in Sanford, Me. Dr. Cobb's practice has included work in the Peter Brent Brigham Hospital and in the Boston City Hospital.

1910—Helen M. Whitehouse has been appointed to a position in the Brooklyn Public Library.

Mildred Schermerhorn is teaching in the high school at Ellicottville, N.Y.

Minnie Pert has entered the Library School at Simmons College.

1912—Christina I. Ring is teaching in the commercial department of the high school in Waterville, Me.

Josephine D. Webb, formerly of the class of 1912, was married on September 19th to Walter Irving Kennedy. They will be at home at 111 Sherman Street, Portland, Me.

Ray A. Clement spent a part of last summer in travel in Europe.

Clarence I. Chatto is principal of the Orono High School.

C. Stanhope is studying at Bowdoin Medical School.

1913—John P. Cheever is teaching in Mercer, Me.

Lila Jordan is a teacher in Lubec, Me.

A. S. Feinberg is studying at Harvard Law School.

William F. Slade is doing post graduate work at Harvard.


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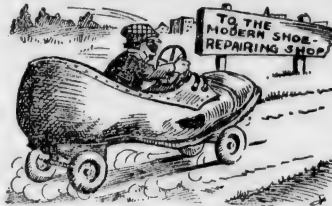
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19

- 1.30 P.M. Sophomore Preliminary Public Speaking.  
7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.  
8.00 P.M. W. C. A. Lecture Course. The Cathedral Choir, Lewiston City Hall.

### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20

- 7.30 P.M. Women's Literary Societies.  
7.30 P.M. Eurosophian Dramatic Society.

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21

- 2.00 P.M. Sophomore Public Speaking, Prize Division, Hathorn Hall.

### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23

- 12.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Cabinet Meeting.  
6.45 P.M. Bible Study classes.  
7.30 P.M. Jordan Scientific Society.

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24

- 12.45 P.M. Bible Study Committee.

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25

- 12.00 M. Thanksgiving Recess begins.

## THE WARWHOO OF 1914

The wondrous tale of war and rattling fire  
Is told in bloody words from age to age;  
But war so grim, immeasurable, and dire,  
Has never yet defiled historic page.

What are the battle lines of Persian slaves  
That surged like thousands seas o'er Grecian land?

What are great Cæsar's city-storming braves,  
Or what Napoleon's immortal band?

These are but shadowy gleams of distant lights  
Which show from time to time Man's hideous wrath;

These are but feeble, ancient, arrow-fights,  
All leading to this huge, blood-stained War-path.

Oh, for the dove of universal peace  
That moves its wings but not the hearts of Man!

Oh, for the love that may for e'er increase  
Our smouldering fires, and into blazes fan!

Behold the war of nations great and strong  
Unveiled indeed to every human eye  
In all its nakedness and bitter wrong,—  
As black as hell against the liquid sky.

Where songs of gladness filled the tranquil home,  
And children's laughter echoed in the lawn,  
There, now, the shadows of departed roam,  
And only crickets chirp their ghostly moan.

Where tossed and bloomed the violets of blue,  
And pleasant corn-fields stood in vast array  
There, now, the mountains gleam in scarlet hue,  
And happy fields are trodden in the fray.

Is it for this we hope, and pray, and toil,  
And spread our sapient laws to savage lands?  
Is it for this we sow in distant soil  
The seed that falls from fratricidal hands?

O Greed, thou diamond-studded, mighty Queen,  
In vain the seers proclaimed to us thy Fall.  
For still thy throne doth gleam in dazzling sheen,  
And we, thy servants, obey thy call.

—COSTAS STEPHANIS, 1915.

## SPOFFORD CLUB

Spofford Club met in Libbey Forum, Thursday evening, with nearly all the members in attendance. Mr. Frederick Smith, '15, was proposed for membership in the club and elected. The literary program for the evening consisted of a story by Mr. Greenan, "In the Balance," followed by a discussion of the same; also a descriptive sketch was submitted by Mr. Thomas, '15. The next meeting will be held at 6.45 Thursday evening, on account of the lecture later in the evening.



## THE GREATER LOVE

All Düsseldorf was in a state of jubilation one morning one hundred years ago to-day. The two resident dukes had been blessed with sons, destined, so the fond parents declared, to be everlasting friends. "Your Franz will be a dear companion for my Johann," the Duke of Weiburg said to the Duke of Rheinstein; and the latter replied happily, "Yes, surely. They will be great friends."

In spite of constant association, the boys grew apart as they became older. Franz was eager, impetuous, practical; and entirely out of sympathy with his dreamer-friend. Johann had two passions, Greta Falkener and his violin. Franz willingly yielded to him the mastery of the instrument, but he denied his right to court Greta. Both young men had much in their favor; Franz was already a great statesman, and Johann was the lion of the social life of Düsseldorf. The artful flattery of the dreamer appealed more strongly to this romantic girl than did the cold reasoning of his rival. After a courtship of less than a month, Greta announced her engagement to Johann, now Duke of Rheinstein. All Düsseldorf was invited to the marriage ceremony, and all Düsseldorf came, excepting the young Duke of Weiburg. He sent, instead of the customary wedding gift, a short note to the effect that Düsseldorf could no longer shelter them both; that, if the Duke of Rheinstein cared to leave for another country, he would undoubtedly prosper; if he chose to stay, he must consider the Duke of Weiburg his open enemy.

The couple decided to make their future home in Vienna, where Johann could charm audiences by the sweet music of his violin, and where Greta could be flattered and petted. After the birth of their daughter, Johann's care-free, imprudent habits involved him in political difficulties. He was obliged to flee from Austria, leaving all of his wealth behind him. He escaped to Paris, and there found employment in one of the theatres.

Before a year had passed, Greta had broken down under the strain of financial cares. Johann was broken-hearted, and, after his wife's death, he returned to Düsseldorf

to ask his former friend, the Duke of Weiburg, to help his small daughter.

The Duke of Weiburg, still a bachelor, consented to undertake the education of his unfortunate friend's daughter, because of his love for her mother. Johann was to leave Düsseldorf forever, and to renounce all claims to his own daughter. He consented reluctantly, tucked his violin lovingly under his arm, and took his leave, too much overcome by sadness to speak a word of farewell.

While Johann struggled to earn a meagre living with his violin, Greta was being flattered and courted by the leading people of Germany. The fame of her beauty reached her father's ears, and, in spite of his agreement with Franz, he set out once more for Düsseldorf. The ten years of privations had aged him greatly; his hair was almost snow white and his face looked haggard and drawn. With trembling eagerness he presented himself at the door of the Duke's private room. Duke Franz was very startled and displeased at seeing his visitor. "Well, why have you come back?" he asked gruffly. "Surely you remember the terms of our agreement?"

"Yes, I remember," the visitor replied. "But, Franz, for the sake of our old friendship, for the sake of her whom we both loved, grant me just a few words with my daughter. I promise never to bother you again."

Franz considered for a moment. "Yes," he said, finally, "Follow me."

The two men walked noiselessly over the soft carpets to the drawing-room. "There is your daughter," the Duke said, triumphantly.

Johann looked, and saw a tall, slender girl, magnificently gowned, leaning over a harpsichord. With a little cry of joy he sprang forward, his arms extended. He stopped short, however, before his cry had reached the girl's ears. The contrast of her present surroundings with the humble home he would be compelled to offer her, held him back.

"Now, do you want your daughter?" the Duke asked, fully realizing what the answer would be.

"No, no," cried Johann. "Let me go. It is greater love to leave her here. I will go, and never return. I thank you for the privilege of seeing her in her happiness."



Johann left the room,—a broken, old man. The Duke thought no more about his visit until his servant brought him his evening reading. "Well, Hans, what is the news?" he asked.

"None much, your Highness," replied the servant. "Just a crazy old man was found in the market, muttering, 'The greater love, the greater love.'"

—1917.

### HOCKEY

The first of the series of championship hockey games was played off Tuesday, November 10, between the Seniors and Sophomores with the score 4 to 0 in favor of the Seniors. The game was played in two fifteen-minute periods. The first half was very close, the Seniors making only one goal. The game was conspicuous for few fouls in comparison with the work of last year; three were called on the Sophomores and one on the Seniors. The linesmen were Gladys Hutchinson, '18, Beatrice Burr, '18, Flora Warren, '16, Alice King, '16. Miss Bell refereed and Miss King was time-keeper.

The second in the series of games was played off Thursday, November 12, between the Juniors and Freshmen, the Freshmen winning with the score 3 to 2. The linesmen were: Julia Farnsworth, '17, Pauline Jameson, '17, Ida Currie, '15, Mabel Durgan, '15, Miss Bell was referee and Miss Mills, '15, was timekeeper.

Saturday afternoon, November 14, the Seniors won the Hockey Championship Banner by defeating the Freshmen with the score 4—2. The game began promptly at 2.45 and was played in two fifteen-minute periods. In the first half, the 1918 girls secured one goal and the Seniors two. At the beginning of the second half, the Freshmen tied the score, but the Seniors succeeded in gaining two more goals before the end of the period and prevented their opponents from securing any more goals. Both teams should be commended for their excellent work. Few fouls were called, and the game was exciting from start to finish. Alice King, '16, was time keeper; Miss Bell, referee; Misses Julia

Farnsworth, '17, Grace Berry, '17, Flora Warren, '16, and Alice King, '16, were linesmen.

The line-up was as follows for all the games:

Seniors—Captain Ida Currie, centerfield; Esther Wadsworth, left inside; Viola Nevens, right inside; Mildred Bassett, left wing; Una Mills, right wing; Mabel Durgan, center half-back; Frances Bryant, right half-back; Ruth Beane, left half-back; Marion Cole, left full-back; Florence Hooper, right full-back; Barbara Morrell, goal keeper; Geneva Page, substitute.

Juniors—Captain Alice King, centerfield; Flora Warren, left inside; Bernice Hood, right inside; Maude Murphy, right wing; Sarah Moor, left wing; Agnes Bryant, right half-back; Alma Gregory, left half-back; Eleanor Knowles, goal keeper; Mona Hodnett, left full-back.

Sophomores—Captain Farnsworth, left fullback; Grace Berry, center field; Ruth Sturgis, right inside; Pauline Jameson, left inside; Ruth Millspaugh, right wing; Evelyn Manchester, left wing; Aileen Lougee, center half-back; Ruth Moody, left half-back; Ruth Skinner, right half-back; Ruth Lewis, right full-back; Elsie Leach, goal keeper.

Freshmen—Captain Gladys Hutchinson, center field; Hilda De Wolf, left inside; Evelyn Hussey, right inside; Doris Haskell, left wing; Beatrice Burr, right wing; Clara Fitz, right half-back; Martha Drake, left half-back; Agnes Graham, center half-back; Mary Hussey, left full-back; Annie Brewer, right full-back; Annie Leathers, goal keeper; Florence Clough, Doris Ingersoll, substitutes.

### FRESHMAN FROLIC

The annual Freshman Frolic was held in gymnasium at Rand Hall, Saturday evening, Nov. 1, and a merry party of lads and lasses assembled in their holiday attire to make merry and renew childhood days. Every one came in costume, from the most dignified senior to the youngest freshman, and all joined heartily in the games of their childhood, London Bridge, 'Round the Green Carpet, Needle's Eye, and Virginia Reel. Refreshments of ice cream cones were very much enjoyed during the evening.



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## THANKSGIVING DAY

This holiday, in the United States, is named by the President. The festival is essentially a harvest thanksgiving, and its earliest observance can be traced to the Pilgrim Fathers. The summer of 1621, following the landing at Plymouth, yielded but a scanty harvest, and unless speedy supplies came from Europe the sturdy colonists foresaw that they would be reduced to the point of starvation. Yet, amid such surroundings as these, we learn from the old chronicles that Governor Bradford, "the harvest being gotten in, sent four men out on fowling, so that we might, after a more special manner, rejoice together after we had gathered the fruit of our labor." And thus,

"While sickness lurked, and death assailed  
And foes beset on every hand,"

the first Governor of New England instituted the "American Harvest Home." Since 1864 a proclamation has been issued recommending annual thanksgivings.

Many of us never stop to realize that this is an American holiday, filled with a true American spirit. We simply know it as a time of feasting, a time for merriment and good will. But as we, each one of us, return to our homes, let us remember that it was not an abundant harvest, but scarcity and want, that gave rise to the origin of this day.

## EUROSOPHIAN DRAMATIC SOCIETY

At the regular meeting of the society last Friday evening, definite plans were made to organize Eurosophia as a dramatic society. The purpose of the society is to be to discuss modern plays, the lives of actors, and to present at times during the college year a series of short plays, and at least one drama.

The new constitution will necessitate the election of officers from the members of the Junior class. The retiring president to act as the chairman of the executive committee. There will be a meeting to-morrow evening and all the present members are urged to attend. Those who are especially interested in dramatics are invited.

## PROMINENT SPEAKERS

Several speakers of note are scheduled to lecture soon under the direction of Bates College, Lewiston. Dr. Henry C. Mabie of Boston, formerly foreign secretary of the American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society, and a brother of Hamilton Mabie, will lecture in Lewiston, Dec. 6.

Dr. Lincoln Wirt, a distinguished Arctic explorer, will lecture, Jan. 13, and John Nolen of Cambridge, Mass., a famous landscape artist, will speak here soon, his subject being, "City Planning." Mr. Nolen has previously spoken in Lewiston and his return will be awaited with interest.

Dr. Tryon, secretary of the American Peace Society, is also among the speakers, who will come by invitation to Bates College.



## OUR PRAYER FOR PEACE

Almighty God, Thou knowest all  
The willful doings of mankind.  
Thou seest blind men lead the blind  
Till hosts, like demons, fight and fall.

Thou knowest all the hate and rage,  
By beastly passions fired and fed,  
Whereby, to mortal combat led,  
Men slaughter men from age to age.

Thou seest where great nations dwell  
Whose warriors work their wicked will,  
Increasing rage and hate until  
Earth reeks with blood and death and hell.

Almighty God, make Thou an end;  
Not as I would, but as Thou wilt;  
Make Thou, where all this blood is spilt,  
The Sun of Righteousness ascend.

His light shall make the nations see  
And loathe the ruin they have wrought,  
And seek the peace his blood has bought,  
Whose freedom can alone make free.

Lift Him, O God, above the strife,  
To whom shall all men then be drawn;  
Lift Him until He bring the dawn  
Of everlasting light and life.

Lift Him, O God, and fix all eyes  
On Him whose love shall conquer hate;  
Make all men gaze on Him and wait  
Till all the evil in us dies.

Until Earth's raging conflicts cease,  
Make every son of Adam pray  
And cry for mercy and the day  
When Christ shall reign in perfect peace.

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## Y. M. C. A.

At the weekly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Moulton, '15, had charge. The subject of discussion was "Efficiency: The College Man's Ideal." Quite a large number of men were present and a most interesting meeting is reported.

## SENIOR RESIDENT GIRLS

Last Thursday, the Senior resident girls passed an enjoyable evening at the home of Miss Viola Nevens, '15. Instrumental and vocal music was enjoyed thru the evening. Refreshments were served in the dining-room where the color scheme was garnet and white. The menu included shrimp wiggle, sandwiches, cake, cookies, pickles, candies and hot chocolate. Those present were: The Misses Ida Currie, Adrienne Belleau, Veva Chapman, Sarah Rosenbloom, Maude Howard, Gladys Merrill, Viola Nevens, Annie Folsom, Annie Stewart, Elizabeth Wood, and Mildred Howard, a guest of the evening.

## GYMNASIUM WORK

The regular gymnasium work will open soon after the Thanksgiving recess. This work is compulsory for all the men with the exception of B men, track men, and seniors. The men work with one idea at the start, that of developing squads to take part in the annual spring exhibition which is held in the City Hall.

## BIBLE CLASS SOCIAL

The college Bible Class, which meets each Sunday at the Hammond street Methodist church, held its first social, Saturday evening, in the vestry of the church. During the evening various games were played and many interesting stories were narrated. Rev. Mr. Bean added to the merriment of the party by his "Telegraph Message" and conundrums. his "Telegraph Message" and conundrums. Ice ments. The singing of college songs made a fitting conclusion for the pleasant evening. Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Bean, Mr. Earle Harding, '15, leader of the class, and the Misses Nevens, '15, Lundy, '17, Leach, '17, Smith, '17, Berry, '17, Sturgis, '17, Skinner, '17, Lewis, '17, Fitz, '18; and the Messrs. Tolman, '18, Canfield, '18, Taylor, '18, Baker, '18, George, '18, Gleaves, '18, Lawrence, '18.

## WALKING CLUB

Saturday, November 7, the Walking Club took its first trip of the season. A large number were in attendance, and all voted it a successful trip.



## DEBATING LEAGUE

The information that a triangular inter-collegiate debating league composed of teams representing Bates, Tufts and Clark Colleges, has been formed, was announced recently. Representatives of the three colleges have agreed to make the organization a permanent affair. The plan is that each college is to be represented by two teams, one to maintain the affirmative and one the negative.

On October 30, a committee composed of Prof. A. Craig Baird of Bates, H. C. Archibald of Tufts and T. E. Shay of Clark, met at the Copley Square Hotel, Boston, to make arrangements for the league.

The agreement sanctioned by the committee calls for three debates annually, the debates to be held on the same date at the three institutions, the visitors in each case to uphold the negative. This program will call for two teams at each institution, one to uphold the affirmative and one the negative.

The question for the debates will be selected as follows: each college will submit two questions, the six questions will be submitted to the debaters of the different colleges and a vote will decide the question.

The judges will be men who are not graduates of the colleges and who do not hold degrees from them. The date of the first debate has not been agreed on. Bates wishes to open the season early in March, while Tufts wants to wait until the last of April. An agreement is expected to be made in a few days. Bates will begin her preliminary work early in December.

The following schedule for the year has been arranged: At Bates, Bates vs. Tufts; at Tufts, Clark vs. Tufts; at Clark, Bates vs. Clark.

## Y. W. C. A.

The weekly meeting of the Y. W. C. A. last Wednesday evening was in charge of Miss Bryant, '15. The subject was "Masterpieces."

Bates had three representatives at the Occupational Conference held at Simmons College, November 13-15. Misses Tilton, Jewell, and Roberts of the Senior Class, attended the meetings.

## NOTES ON THE WAR LECTURE

The fourth lecture will be given Thursday evening, Dec. 3, and will include studies in the Balkan War of 1912.

Formula for Securing Universal Peace: Eliminate race jealousies and antipathies, unjust competition and strife for earthly goods, national ambitions and the love of fighting; establish race solidarity, the untrammelled intermingling of all peoples, real equality, a world congress and tribunal with powers to execute its decrees, and a new human nature. Meanwhile, cultivate good-will, train men and women to cosmic vision, and maintain an efficient army and navy.

The events of the past twelve days were then sketched, the leading facts being that the Austrians are defeating the Servians, the Germans and Austrians have lost ground against the Russians, the western battle line has changed but little, the Germans have lost Tsing Tau and at least two cruisers, the Turks are driving the Russians in Trans Caucasia.

The study of Cramb's "Germany and England" was strongly recommended. Other helps suggested were The World's Work War Manuals, Hart's War in Europe, The Outlook's Europe in the Melting Pot, and for daily reference the Boston Journal.

"Militarism" was discussed and evidence presented to show that the nations with small standing armies shed most blood in wars. The "blood and iron" policy did not originate with Bismarck. England teaches with pride the "deeds that won the empire;" and so have all nations that have held world-primacy. If the long line of peoples that have won the coveted first place have won that place by bloody struggle, are Russia and Germany sinners above all others because they use the same method to gain the same end. Let's be fair.

If any great power can be called non-militaristic, surely the United States can, yet we have fought a great war each generation. Militarism, we are repeatedly told these days, is the cause of war. Did our army of 9,921 officers and men cause the War of 1812? Or our 8,349 cause the Mexican War; our 16,367 in 1860,—mostly dispersed in companies and squadrons of 50 in the Indian country,—cause the "greatest civil war of all history;" or our 27,532 officers and men in 1898 cause the Spanish-American War, when it required seven weeks for this great business nation of 80 millions to fit out an expedition of 15,000



soldiers? The story of China is an even stronger refutation of the doctrine of peace yielding peace.

The causes of this European War were briefly summarized, and the fallacies of pacifism enumerated.

#### REVIEW OF FOOTBALL SEASON

Bates has just added another chapter of football to its athletic history, which is indeed remarkable when we take into consideration the material of which the coaches had to make a team. Although the loss of Danahy, Dyer, Cobb and Eldridge by graduation was a severe blow, it was thought that there would be left a nucleus for a good football team as the line remained practically intact. But a cloud was cast over Bates' football prospects when it was learned that "Ty" Cobb, All-Maine tackle, and Kennedy, the fighting halfback, were not coming back, and that George Kerr would not be allowed to play. Although the outlook was despairingly dark, the coaches patiently set themselves to the task of "whipping" light, inexperienced men into form to fill the places made vacant by the valuable veterans.

The first two games were very disastrous. In the game with Harvard not only were the new men badly smashed up, but Harding, the veteran center, was hurt so badly that he did not recover until the last game of the season. In the second game Captain Moore wrenched his knee and came home unfit for further work. This left almost a green team. Nearly every man in the new line, except Acting Captain Manuel, played his first game of college football this fall.

The climax of the season was the 27-0 victory over Bowdoin in the championship series. In this game Bates played a superior game for three periods with a lone field goal to its credit. In the last period, however, the Bowdoin defense became completely demoralized before the irresistible strength of the Bates team, which swept the ball across the goal line three times in fifteen minutes.

Although defeated by a large score by Maine and Colby, whose men outweighed the members of the Bates team, nearly thirty pounds to a man, the students and alumni, who know the conditions, believe that the season has been a success.

#### TRACK

William Doe, '16, was elected captain of the Cross-Country Squad for 1915 at a meeting of the members of this year's team.

Track work will be resumed directly after the Thanksgiving recess, on the board track, under the supervision of Coach Morrill and Captain Small. It is hoped that the college will see fit to buy new corners, as the old ones are not only out-of-date but also in very poor condition.

#### MIRROR BOARD

At a meeting of the Senior class Tuesday afternoon the following members were elected to the *Mirror* board:

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#### ALUMNI NOTES

1900—Rev. R. S. Emrich is principal of Mardin High School, Mardin, Turkey. The school has more than a hundred pupils ranging from twelve to eighteen years of age.

1908—Miss Maude Bradford and Neil E. Stevens, both of Bates, 1908, were married August 31. Their home is on Belmont Street, Washington, D. C.

1909—A son, Frederick Walcott, was born September 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Frederic M. Peckham. Mr. Peckham is teaching Mathematics in the high school of Natick, Mass.

The marriage of Clinton DeWitt Park, Bates 1909, and Miss Florence H. Perry, Bates 1910, took place August 27.

1912—F. A. Nevers is studying in the Maine Medical School at Brunswick.

1913—Lynne H. Durrell is teaching at Comerio, Porto Rico.

1914—Elwyn G. Barrow is located in Boston, Mass.

Kempton J. Coady is principal of Easton High School, Easton, Me.

Clarence Dyer is teaching in the high school at Bar Harbor, Me.



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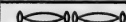
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10

- 7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.  
8.00 P.M. Lecture on Military Science, by  
Dr. Tubbs, Hathorn Hall.

### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11

- 7.30 P.M. Eurosophian Dramatic Society.

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12

- 7.30 P.M. Enkuklios.

### MONDAY, DECEMBER 14

- 12.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Cabinet Meeting.  
6.45 P.M. Men's Bible Study Classes.  
7.30 P.M. Jordan Scientific Society.

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15

- 12.45 P.M. Bible Study Committee.

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16

- 12.45 P.M. Campus Service Committee.  
6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A.  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.  
8.00 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.

## DR. HART'S LECTURE

The first lecture in the George Colby Chase Course was given Wednesday evening, November 18, in the chapel by Dr. Albert Bushnell Hart, Professor of Government in Harvard University. The subject was "The Effect of the Panama Canal on the United States."

Dr. Hart first presented the early history of the Panama Canal, saying that Spain was the first to attempt to connect the Atlantic and Pacific oceans by this waterway. England then attempted what Spain had failed to do, and later the United States became a partner in the control of the Isthmus of Panama. In 1879, the French started the construction of a canal, but abandoned it in 1897, when it became evident that the United States was the nation to execute the task.

Dr. Hart spoke of the physical problem of constructing the canal and how, at its completion, the Americans love to look upon it as the greatest engineering feat of all history.

Passing to the matter of neutrality, the speaker took up the treaties made with Panama and with England, giving the principal stipulations of each. The treaty with Panama provides that the canal shall be neutral and that the United States shall have the right to protect it. The treaty with England places the management of the canal in the hands of the United States.

In speaking of the relation of the canal to the Pacific coast, Dr. Hart said that San Francisco and all the large ports feel that they will be much more prosperous because of it. The Gulf States, however, will not have any larger trade because the ports on the gulf have no adequate commerce from their section of the country. The trade of the West Indies should be increased and the value of these islands as a resort for tourists will be more felt.

The opportunity for extension of trade with the western countries of South America is not much increased by the canal. On the other hand our connection with the Orient will be stimulated and Eastern United States should have a tremendous trade with Eastern Asia because the canal will be of great advantage in transferring goods more cheaply and quickly.

Touching the Latin American States, Dr. Hart said that as long as the United States acts as protector everything is all right, but once let the United States play the part of policeman and their jealousy and hatred will be aroused. According to the Monroe Doctrine, the United States is bound to protect them from foreign invasion.

In closing, Dr. Hart reviewed briefly the advantages of the canal and said that it is good to think that, while in Europe the nations are spending millions in war, we have spent four millions for peace in building the canal.



## SOPHOMORE PRIZE SPEAKING

The Annual Sophomore Prize Declamation Contest occurred in Hathorn Assembly Hall upon Saturday afternoon, November twenty-first, at two o'clock. The Judges for the contest were Carl F. Getchell, Esq., Rev. G. S. Robinson, and Miss Harriet Rand. The Committee on Arrangements were Homer E. Crooker, Raleigh B. Boober and Miss Pauline F. Jameson. Mr. Lane was awarded the prize for the men and Miss Richmond for the ladies.

The program was as follows:

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|  | MUSIC                    |                  |
| Prayer                                     | Reverend G. S. Robinson  |                  |
|  | RESPONSE                 |                  |
| 1. The Low Shore Lass                      | RUTH LEIGHTON STURGIS    | <i>Cloud</i>     |
| 2. The Union Soldier                       | THEODORE EATON BACON     | <i>Thurston</i>  |
| 3. Bobby Shafto                            | ELEANOR RICHMOND         | <i>Green</i>     |
| 4. "The Ninetenth of April"                | HERBERT ERNEST HINTON    | <i>Lawton</i>    |
|  | MUSIC                    |                  |
| 5. Lucretia and the Lord's Will            | ELINOR NEWMAN            | <i>Thompson</i>  |
| 6. Men Will Awake                          | WILLIAM CARROLL OSGOOD   | <i>Hugo</i>      |
| 7. The Little Prophet                      | IRENE KEELER MACDONALD   | <i>Wiggin</i>    |
| 8. A Plea for Prohibition                  | ARTHUR LEONARD PURINGTON | <i>Patterson</i> |
|  | MUSIC                    |                  |
| 9. Agnes and the Wheel of Fortune          | MARION JOSEPHINE WELLMAN | <i>Hill</i>      |
| 10. The Nemesis of Armaments               | MILTON ARTHUR SLADE      | <i>Jefferson</i> |
| 11. High Tide on the Coast of Lincolnshire | GENEVIEVE DUNLAP         | <i>Ingelow</i>   |
| 12. The Defense of Haywood                 | PERLEY WISE LANE         | <i>Darrow</i>    |
|  | MUSIC                    |                  |

## DRAMATIC SOCIETY

The Dramatic Society is now fully organized and ready for the year's work. This Society has long been needed among the men at Bates, and coming as it does at a very oppor-

tune time, it is bound to be the society that will create the most interest among the students.

The membership has been limited to twenty-five men. Admission will be based entirely upon ability and interest in the work. Candidates may be presented from the three upper classes.

The work of the society will be to aid in the social life of the College, and to create an interest in dramatics among the student body. From time to time plays will be publicly presented. Frequently at college socials short comedies and farces will be introduced by the society members.

Several open meetings are to be held during the year. Lives of famous actors and actresses will be reviewed, together with discussions of plays which now demand the attention of the theatrical world.

A closed meeting of the Society will be held Friday evening. Prof. Hartshorn addresses the members at the meeting of December 18.

The following officers were elected last week:

President—H. W. Buker.  
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Prof. Hartshorn was elected faculty advisor, and J. L. Moulton member of the executive committee.

## ATHLETICS

Captain Small has issued a call for the track men to report, and work has begun again in earnest. A large number of men are out for the relay team. Capt. Small and Syrene, '16, are the only veterans available from last year's team. The B. A. A. relay race will be held on the 6th of February at the Mechanics Hall in Boston. Although Coach Morrill has not yet come back, it is expected that he will soon return to take up his work.

Gymnasium work for the three lower classes has begun again, under the supervision



of Director Purinton and the leadership of his assistants. The Junior class is taking fencing in preparation for an exhibition in the City Hall at the Indoor Meet. The other classes are taking the regular gymnastic work. Each member of these classes except the track and baseball men, is obliged to attend this three-hour gymnasium course.

### SOPHOMORE DEBATES

The preliminary debates to select the representatives for the Sophomore Prize Debates will be held on January 10 and 11. This year for the first time the women of the class will have a separate preliminary division and a separate public debate. The subject for discussion in the women's divisions is, *Resolved*, That the women of Maine should receive the suffrage on equal terms with men; the men will argue the question, *Resolved*, That the federal government should own and operate the railroads within the United States. A ten-minute forensic on the question will be presented before the judges. Twelve women and twelve men will be selected, who will compose four affirmative and four negative teams for the semi-final contests. The final squad will consist of six women and six men. The women's public debate will probably be held the last week in February and the men's, the first week in March. In each debate the winning team and the best individual speaker will each receive a prize.

### ENTRE NOUS

Entre Nous, the Freshman Literary Society, held a meeting in Libbey Forum Friday evening, December 4, and enjoyed the following program:

Vocal Solo—Doris Ingersoll.  
Mozart—Ruth Chapman.  
Piano Solo—Doris Haskell.  
Paderewski—Florence Clough.  
Mendelssohn—Mildred Junkins.  
Bates Song.

### SPOFFORD CLUB

Spofford Club met for a brief session in Libbey Forum, Tuesday evening, Dec. 1. After the discussion of a poem and a short story presented by the membership committee, the meeting was adjourned in order that the members might attend the lecture by Dr. Tubbs.

### Y. M. C. A.

The meeting of the Y. M. C. A. last week was led by H. W. Buker, '16. The speaker took as subject, "A college man's gift to himself." Some of the thoughts presented were that a college man was now accumulating in order to better give himself to the demands of the world. In working out the problems before him, a man should feel it his duty to give himself the best.

An appreciation of all conditions of his fellow-men; a vision of the vital problems facing this age; a plumb-line by which to build; the full meaning of the word "think," and the finding of his relation to the world and his Creator were offered as some of the gifts a college man should present himself.

Membership tickets in Y. M. C. A., good for one year and entitling bearer to the privileges of city and town Associations will be issued on application to all who have paid dues for one-half year. Application for tickets should be made at the Y. M. C. A. office, Roger Williams Hall. The Secretary will be found there on week days from chapel until 11.30 in the morning; from 12.45 to 3.00 in the afternoon.

### STUDENT EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

Students who are interested in obtaining employment during semester time or in vacation will do well to consult from time to time the bulletin board just placed outside the door of the Y. M. C. A. Office, Roger Williams Hall. The Secretary of the Student Employment Bureau will post thereon sales and canvassing propositions as he learns of them. The Bureau is anxious to do all in its power to help men to positions. Therefore notifications of opportunities for work will be much appreciated.

### U. A. C. C.

The "Up and Coming Club" held their regular meeting in Libbey Forum, Friday evening at seven o'clock. Ruth Capen, '17, gave a talk on Folksongs, and Misses Gladys Mower, '16, Katherine Lundy, '17, and Celia Smith, '17, rendered various folk songs. Agnes Thompson, '16, played "Old Folks at Home." The meeting closed with the singing of Alma Mater.



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## THREE LEAGUES

Work is progressing rapidly on the new hockey rink. The men of the four classes are showing their spirit by giving their time and contributing money for this new project, making possible the development of ice hockey at Bates. It is expected that before the season is over a series of games will be played between teams selected from the men of the college, and to organize under a plan similar to that of the baseball league.

For the past few years a very successful league has been conducted in baseball and suit-

able cups were given to each member of the winning team. Last year the interest did not make itself felt so keenly as in the two previous years. This was due, mainly, to the fact that the men on the individual teams did not follow up their schedule. Now we have an excellent opportunity to develop in hockey. Let's get in and show some spirit in the matter worthy of the effort being put into the present work.

Soccer football has also been mentioned; here is another opportunity for a good, wholesome, out-of-door sport. Would it not be something worth while to have three leagues in college, one in hockey, one in soccer football and maintain our baseball league as well? Each one of these three leagues will take a vast amount of effort to maintain, but a good, red-blooded Bates man should not hesitate to attempt any one, or all three of these projects. Why not stir up public sentiment and make possible the organization of each of these three leagues during the coming year?

## "A POET'S CABINET"

We wish to announce through our columns that we have received a copy of "A Poet's Cabinet" edited by W. W. Miller and published by G. P. Putnam's Sons, New York City. This volume contains a host of carefully selected quotations from the works of George Lansing Raymond, L.H.D. The book is handsomely bound and contains an exceptionally fine engraving of the author. The quotations are so arranged under heads, that one is able to locate very quickly apt and fitting quotations on almost any conceivable subject.

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To quote:

### LIFE BEYOND THIS LIFE

"Oh, if there be laws that faith can trust,  
High laws that righten all things unjust,  
What spheres for dreaming and doing must  
lie  
In airs not domed by a mortal sky!  
What fullness of living must life contain  
Where losing one's life on earth seems gain!"



## AN AFFAIR IN HEARTS

One could see devils and football men, negroes and priests, princesses, queens, and all sorts of flowers. It was a merry crowd! Here stood a group talking and babbling over with mirth. There sat a couple on a settee, tete-a-teting seriously. These masquerades were deuced bad places for a man with a weak heart. And Chauncey had a very weak one.

He was visiting America for the first time in his somewhat youthful career. For two weeks he had been going night and day, just seeing things. He had dined at Child's and Delmonico's; had taken tea at the Colonial Tea Rooms; he had visited the Waldorf Astoria and the Columbia; had spent evenings at the Princess and the Knickerbocker. And tomorrow he was going thru Central Park.

But above all these wonders he had been overpowered with the beauty of American femininity. England surely could not equal America. Almost every night Chauncey had come home with a broken heart. These Americans were so cruel in affairs of the heart—deucedly cruel, don't-ye-know.

On this particular evening Chauncey was feeling rather ill-tempered with the female species in general. It was quite impossible for him to see why they couldn't be serious once in a while. *Why*, by Jove, chappy, he would just get started in a confession of his emotions toward one of them, when—swish—she was gone, and his heart was smashed again.

Mrs. Von Trebelle,—spelled with two ll's she wished you distinctly to understand—whom the honorable Chauncey Endwood was visiting, had much difficulty in invading this extreme ill nature of his. But women do have such a winning way, old boy, so charming, you know. Mrs. Von Trebelle herself had said that she could not go on account of er—previous engagements, but she knew that he would have a perfectly splendid time. He simply must go. And she had a clown suit that Mr. Von Trebelle had worn on the stage. Just the thing!

And here he was, all alone, looking over the vari-colored masks and costumes with a

dull, nonchalant sort of spirit. He hadn't wanted to come, anyway. Why was his aunt so devilish hard on a man when she knew he would be bored to death. He was tired of America. All they did was to eat and drink, and dance and—well, you had to be moving all the time even to keep in sight of these monomaniacs. It was too much for him. England for him, where women weren't so beastly cruel and all that sort of thing.

What—who was that little Queen of Hearts! He had not seen her before. But of course, it did not matter. Queens of Hearts and sunflowers were all the same to him.

But—she was coming this way, looking about her and coquetting as she passed the different groups. Evidently she was looking for some one. Her eyes met Chauncey's. Then she passed on. She was unsuccessful in her search, and returned to the ball room. This time she stopped near the clown and stood absorbed in thought, tapping her little foot nervously. The clown became interested. His blastly heart began to beat a bit unsteady. Of all times for your heart to go back on you this was the worst. Plague take it, what the deuce was a heart made for, anyway?

Chauncey was only human. He walked somewhat uncertainly to the side of the Queen of Hearts. She glanced up at him and bowed most gracefully.

"The Jardin?" inquired the clown. Her eyes said "yes." Why did you have to wear masks? Confound the idea. Who could tell what might happen?

They passed thru the narrow aisle between the merry groups, out thru the French lattice window, and along the path till they found a quiet settee. Why the deuce couldn't he think of something worth saying. She knew it was an extremely fine evening out, and there were a considerable number of stars visible, and that she looked perfectly adorable in her costume. Why couldn't his blastly brain work? She was so full of life, too. Running over and all that sort of thing. Why, she had not been quiet a minute since he had met her in the ball room. And she so



captivating—and all the rest. Chauncey proceeded to fall in love for the fifty-first time. He saw it coming, so did the Queen of Hearts. For she was that kind, you know, quick to notice things. Chauncey kept falling, poor fellow, and he might have—

"Twelve o'clock. All masks off," a voice announced from the ball room. The Queen of Hearts lightly jumped to her feet and fled up the path into the hall, with the clown in close pursuit. He could not lose her now, this bewitching queen.

As they entered the room all were intensely excited over finding out each other's identity and in discovering who had been most deceived.

"Off with your mask, Mr. Clown," gaily laughed the Queen of Hearts.

In the merry whirl and laughter surrounding them, these two turned to unfasten their elastics. He knew she must be most beautiful, for were not all Americans that way? And she—

Where was she? Had she fled? His heart went panicky. For all he saw was Mrs. Von Trebelle standing near and gazing at him with laughter in her eyes.

"What's the trouble, Chauncey, dear? Why so peeved?"

"Did you see her? Where did she go? Tell me quick."

"Who—what can be the matter with you?" But Chauncey was searching the corners and alcoves for his Queen of Hearts—in vain. He ran out onto the steps—but it was useless. She had fled. He returned with heavy heart.

"The blasted luck. Let's go home."

In the quiet of their limousine Mrs. Van Trebelle tried to break in upon the moodiness that surrounded the would-be clown.

"Why, Chauncey, what is the matter? Didn't you enjoy yourself? You appeared 'It' from where I saw you."

"You, were you in the Jardin? Why, Aunt, you said a previous engagement—"

"Yes, my dear, but I wanted you to be sure to enjoy yourself. So I decided to go. Don't you think I made a perfect Queen of Hearts?"

N. D. M., '15.

## CHAPEL NOTES

Henry W. Mabie gave a brief address at the chapel exercises on Monday, taking up the paradox of the rich young ruler. He said: "The rich young ruler lacked one thing, but that which he lacked was everything. We are made for subjection to proper authority. The one issue of to-day in the so-called civilized world is 'subordination to the supreme philosopher, Jesus Christ.'" Dr. Mabie cited several instances of great men who have subjected themselves to Christian ideals.

## LOCALS

Miss Pike, teacher of English in Sanford High School, has been a recent guest at Rand Hall.

Miss Aura Emerson, '16, is acting as a substitute teacher for a few weeks in Solon, Me.

Miss Hazel Mitchell, '16, substituted in Edward Little High School, the past week.

## INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATING

The preliminary try-outs to select the teams in the debates with Tufts and Clark will be held on Thursday afternoon and evening, December 10, in the Assembly Room, Hawthorn Hall. The subject, the same that will be used in the intercollegiate debates, is, *Resolved*, That the federal government should own and operate the public telegraph and telephone lines within the United States. E. L. Saxton, '15, L. R. Carey, '15, G. B. Bustin, '15, members of last year's squad, will form the nucleus of the squad. Some thirty men are out for the teams, and the interest in this work is greater than it was last year. In the preliminaries each speaker will deliver an eight-minute argument on either side of the question. Twelve men will be chosen for the team debates one week later. Eight debaters will be chosen for the final squad, which will hold tri-weekly discussions.

This year, for the first time, Bates has entered a Triangular Debating League. The Bates affirmative team will debate Tufts in Lewiston; the negative team will meet Clark at Worcester, Mass. The date for these debates has not been settled, but will probably be about the middle of April.



## VESPER SERVICE

At the vesper service on Sunday Dr. Henry W. Mabie addressed a large gathering on the subject of his travels in the Far East. The program was as follows:

	Organ Prelude	
	Doxology	
Invocation		Pres. Chase
Responsive Reading		
Response		Choir
Anthem		Choir
Scripture Reading		Pres. Chase
Solo		Mr. Renwick
Prayer		Pres. Chase
Anthem		Choir
Cornet and Organ Duet		
Sermon		Dr. Mabie
	Hymn	
	Benediction	
	Postlude	
Mr. Pettengill, organist.		

## ALUMNI NOTES

1874—Augustine Simmons is a lawyer in North Anson, Me. He is the executor of the will of his cousin, the famous sculptor, Franklin Simmons.

1881—Clifton P. Sanborn has retired from business and is located upon his farm in Hookset, N. H.

Henry S. Roberts is Superintendent of Schools in Suncook, N. H.

1882—Henry S. Bullen is principal of the Day Schools of the Central Dept. of the Y. M. C. A. Institute of Chicago, Ill.

1884—Eben H. Emery has been an official of the U. S. Weather Bureau since 1884. His present address is 1512 Turks Head Building, Providence, R. I.

Mark Leslie Hersey is a major in the regular army. Since 1905 he has been assistant chief of the Philippine constabulary law, Philippine Islands. His address is Zamboanga, P. I.

1908—October 29, 1914, occurred the marriage of Dr. Maurice V. Brown, Bates, '08, to Miss M. Shirley Smalley, formerly of Bates, '14.

1909—Fred Lancaster, who was admitted to the bar last year, has opened a law office in Auburn.

1911—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Warren Howard of Naiahia, Hawaii, have a daughter, Caroline Cranston, born November 20. Both Mr. and Mrs. Howard graduated from Bates in 1911. Mrs. Howard was Miss Elizabeth F. Ingersoll of Auburn.

1912—A. Maude Astle is teaching in the High School at Houlton, Me.

Clinton H. Bonney is a student at Columbia University.

May Audley is teaching in the high school in Thomaston, Maine.

Vaughn S. Blanchard is assistant physical director and faculty track coach at Worcester Academy, Worcester, Mass.

Elizabeth M. Campbell is teaching in Port Jervis, N. Y.

Ross Chamberlain is assistant in the high school at Williamstown, Mass.

Clair Chesley is studying at Columbia University.

Hubert P. Davis is first violinist at the Empire Theatre in Lewiston.

Helen Deering is teaching History, Biology, and English in Presque Isle, Me.

1913—Ralph Barr is doing graduate work at Harvard.

1914—Rebecca Estey is teaching in the high school at Brownville Junction, Me.

George C. Marsden is teaching in Scarborough, Me.

Helen Foss is teaching in Upton, Mass., not at Northboro, as was previously stated.

Kempton J. Coady is teaching in the high school at Easton, Maine.

Clara Neal is a teacher in Alton, N. H.

Gladys Ward is assistant in Limington Academy, Limington, Me.

Ruth Sylvester is teaching in Shelburne Falls, Mass.

Bessie Patten is teaching in the high school at Guilford, Me.

Vincent Gatto is principal of the high school at Lisbon, Me.

Flora Marion Lougee is teaching in Norway, Me.

Helen Humiston is teaching in McIndoe Falls Academy, McIndoe Falls, Vt.

John Danahy is teaching in Porto Rico.

J. Roy Packard is teacher of English in Wilbraham Academy, Wilbraham, Mass.

Louis R. Sullivan is teaching in Tilton Seminary, Tilton, N. H.



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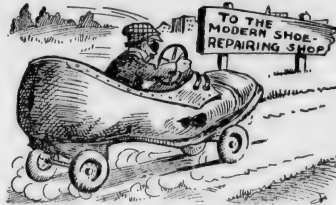
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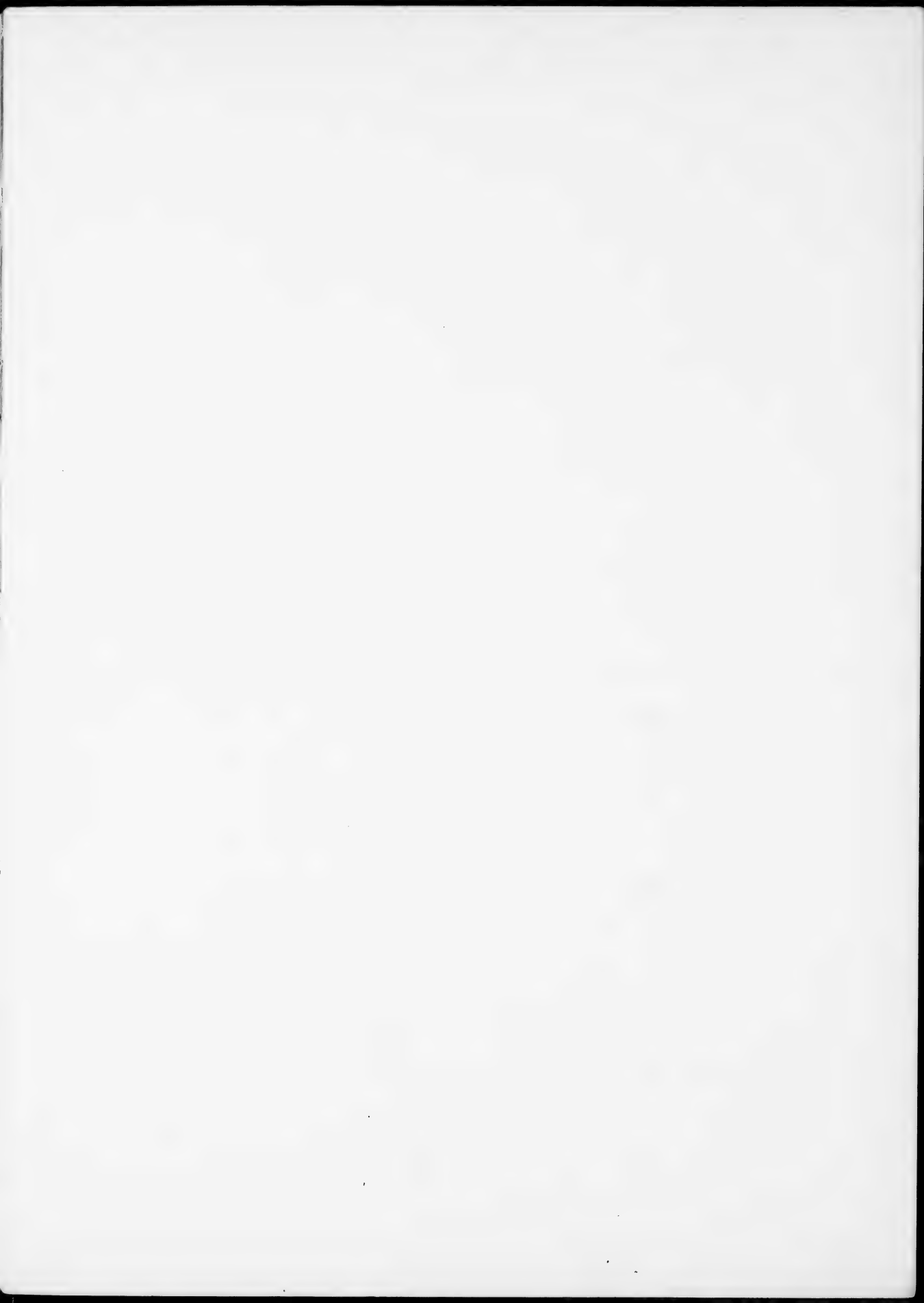
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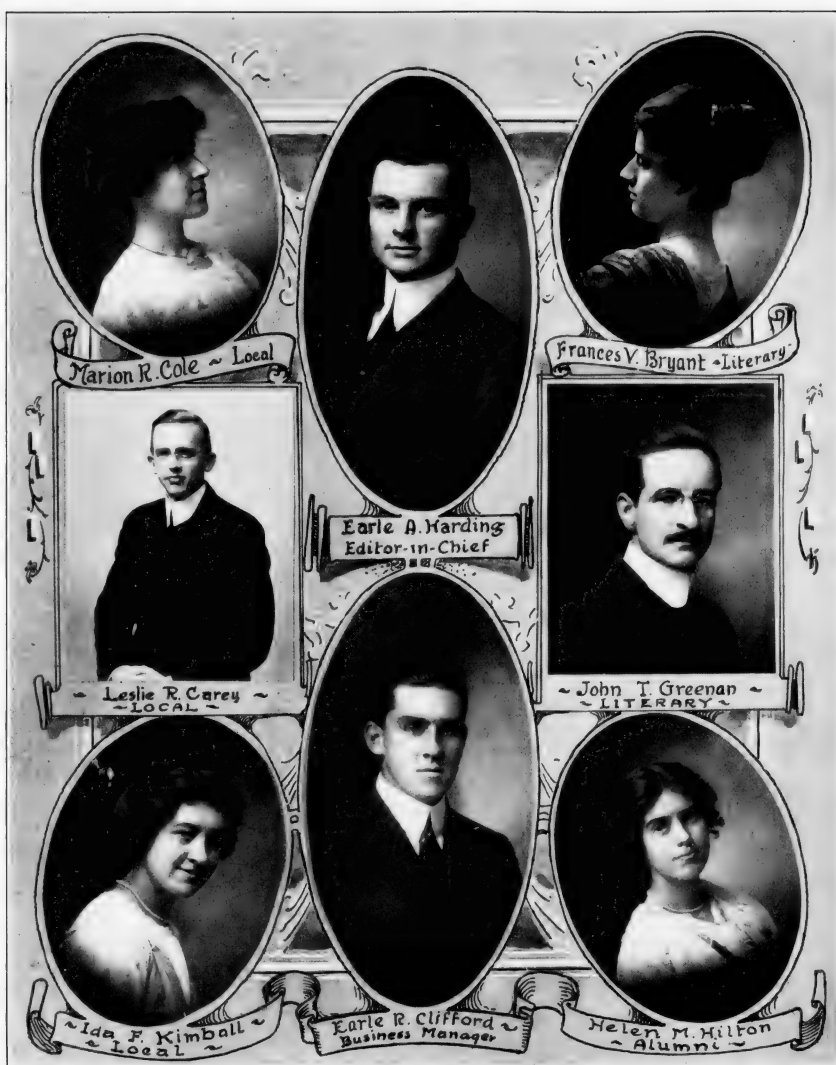
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"Your honor, I first saw Louise about fifteen years ago. I had come to the city, from a small up-state town, with the optimism of youth, thinking that here I would get fame and wealth. I obtained a position as an insurance agent, and made a fairly good living. I found a plain but clean boarding house up in the Bronx, kept by a German woman; and so was well satisfied with what to me appeared to be prosperity.

After I had been boarding at the place for about a month there came to the house a young German, and a very pretty flax-haired, blue-eyed girl, his wife. Each evening I met them at the dinner table—and at every meeting I seemed to become more interested in her. Somehow or other, from the first day that I met her, I seemed to feel instinctively that we were destined to a more intimate acquaintance.

After the new couple had been with us for a few months I observed that the young woman was trying to hide the fact that she was leading a miserable existence. Her husband took to drinking heavily, and from appearances I guessed that his young bride was subjected to the most brutal treatment at his hands. At times one could see the marks left by the insane blows he had rained upon her while he was in one of his drunken sprees. Her efforts to hide her misfortune were pitiful:—in public her desire to cover up his coarseness and neglect made those around her connive to overlook his conduct.

A year went around and I saw this young wife fast becoming pale and haggard from painful scenes with her brute of a husband. I sought every opportunity to engage her in conversation so as to be a few moments longer in her presence. By this time I began to realize that I was madly in love with the girl. To meet her twice daily and to know that this woman whom I revered was the wife of a drunken sot—it finally became unbearable—I had to tear myself away to a new boarding place.

Another year passed, and I had almost succeeded in forgetting Louise. One winter night after I had written up a policy on the life of an East Side clothier, I stepped into the entrance of the subway. As I passed to the ticket-seller's window I noticed the figure of a woman in ragged attire, huddled in one corner out of the sweep of the wind which blew in thru the entrance. I had bought my ticket and was making a quick rush for an incoming express, when a gust of air whisked my ticket to the feet of this miserable looking figure. As I approached her the woman threw a frightened glance in my direction—and in this wild looking apparition I recognized Louise. But what a change had taken place! Matted strands of hair were straggling down over a face which was pinched and white from hunger and cold. For a minute I stood rooted to the spot—I was only brought to my senses by the movement of the figure as if to escape from my presence. I called her name—she looked around in a dazed sort of way but did not seem to recognize me. It quickly came to me that I must get her away from the view of the already curious crowd that was watching the tableaux. She allowed me to guide her, in a passive way, as though she was oblivious to her surroundings.

When I reached my lodgings Mrs. Whiting eyed us askance, but I explained matters somewhat by saying that the woman was a sister of mine whom I had not seen for many years—that I had found her in poverty after she had been deserted by her husband. I asked whether we couldn't provide for her until I had made other arrangements. Mrs. Whiting was a motherly sort of woman who



had always been very kind to me, and she realized that it was no time for further explanation.

The next morning when I asked for Louise, Mrs. Whiting led me to a small room on the top floor. I found her pale and emaciated, but greatly improved in appearance as a result of motherly care. As soon as we were alone I tried to learn from Louise what had happened since I last saw her, and what had become of her husband. Imagine my horror to find that the girl's mind was unbalanced, and that upon the mention of her husband's name she became frightened and hysterical. I left her then in the care of the housekeeper, hoping that proper nourishment and rest would restore her mental balance.

During the rest of that week I visited Louise every night and morning. In her rational moments she told me that her husband had deserted her about a month before, and she had just managed to exist since then. I called in a physician who said that the woman ought to be removed to an institution for the insane. Louise caught the significance of his remarks and begged me to promise that I would never send her away from me. Ever since then she has been living in mortal dread of being carried away to an asylum. I soon realized that the sight of her helplessness revived the old love—and I promised to always take care of her.

Well, your honor, to make a long story short, I moved to a couple of rooms in a poorer section of the city. Here people would be less inquisitive and not enquire too deeply into our lives. Under the stimulus of good food and constant care her former beauty returned. Her periods of insanity became less and less frequent until I began to hope for complete recovery.

One day when I had returned from work I found that Louise was not in her room. I searched the streets high and low, altho I knew such a hunt to be useless. About midnight she returned, a dishevelled looking object. She never told me what had occurred that night, and I never questioned her. I imagined that someone had taken advantage of her helpless condition, but from that day to this

she has never left her room, nor has anybody but myself seen her. At her request I have locked the door of her room behind me every morning when I left for work, and it was only unlocked when I returned at night.

As far as I could learn she hasn't a living relation or friend to whom she could appeal for protection. I have cared for her as tenderly as would her own mother. I would have been only too happy to marry her at any time, but she did not know whether her husband was still alive. A divorce would never have been granted to one in her condition.

Our existence would have gone on in this peaceful manner if it hadn't been for the gossip of inquisitive neighbors. We were compelled to move a half dozen times in the past twelve years. But at the place where we last roomed the janitress became so eager to solve the apparent mystery of "the lady who never came out of her room" that she discussed the matter with her neighbors over the back fences. The angry glances of the women who lived in our vicinity warned me that it was again time for me to be looking for new quarters. But my plans were all upset when an officer came into the office one day and placed me under arrest. The neighbors had notified headquarters that I held a beautiful woman a prisoner in the locked room. I have since learned that the police, in spite of her struggling and protestations, carried Louise away to jail—and now I am here facing a most serious charge, when I have only been guilty of caring for a helpless woman who is everything to me."

When the prisoner had ended his dramatic story a profound hush fell upon the busy courtroom. Everyone was awed into silence by the recital of a devotion unheard of in this prosaic day of loosely-kept marriage vows. The suppressed emotion of the man, and his frank manner convinced the listeners that he was speaking the truth.

The silence was broken by the judge, in a husky voice, declaring court adjourned for the day—the hearing would be resumed on the morrow.

. . . . .



I am still trying to decide which is the guilty party: our social system, or the young couple who ran afoul of the law.

The man's story was constantly in my mind the rest of the day and evening. The next morning I was deeply disappointed when the city editor assigned me to interview a prominent vaudeville actor who had just married his fifth wife. After hearing a flippant discussion of the merits of his many better-halves and how it seems to meet one's ex-wives married to old club acquaintances, I hurried back to learn the decision of the court in the case which had so deeply moved me.

At the cigar-stand in the lobby of the building I met Grimes, who had been taking my place downtown. Upon my inquiring he remembered the case and told me briefly that the woman had been sent to an insane asylum, and the man was sentenced to serve a term in jail. It seems that the court wanted to be lenient, but the law had been transgressed and the penalty must be paid.

—1915.

#### PAT, THE BRAVE

Patrick Mahoney, short, stout, and jolly, leaned back in his battered porch chair, and surveyed the little patch of door-yard with an air of silent satisfaction. His physical attitude bespoke supreme content. He drew in a great mouthful of smoke from his stubby, black pipe, and blew it out in little, curling rings, which hung lingeringly for a moment in the still air and then gradually melted. He looked meditatively at Betsey, his wife, who sat on the porch steps shelling peas for the morrow's dinner. Ah, a fine woman was Betsey, and a mighty good cook, too. Her equal wasn't to be found in the county. She could cook a meal fit to set before his majesty, God save him! His mind lingered pleasantly on the supper of liver and fried onions, flanked with the dish of potatoes and noggin of buttermilk churned by the same capable hands. He had eaten until, as he said, "he had filled his contract," and afterwards had taken his usual after-supper position on the porch still mentally berating the insufficient capacity of three pints which Nature had allotted to him.

Now his head was sinking on his chest, and the gray embers were dropping in miniature showers from his pipe at each fitful, sleepy jerk. It was Betsey who touched him gently on the shoulder, and awakened him, saying, "Arrah, Pat, ye'd best turn in. It's a good cure fer what ails ye. The supper ain't turnin' on ye, is it?"

Sleepily grunting and yawning, Pat undressed and climbed into bed. He crossed his hands above his head and fell asleep almost immediately. His last waking thoughts were a medley of that delectable supper and the charms of the one who had prepared it.

Betsey, in the meantime, was stepping around in the kitchen in stockinged feet, and arranging the details for breakfast. She was whispering the words of the prayer for sailors as she measured the milk and flour for her famous raised rolls, when suddenly a yell broke the silence and turned the words of prayer into an ejaculation of horror. Her eyes projected from their sockets like the glass eyes of the quaint china mantel ornament. Seconds seemed hours before she could summon sufficient resolution to go to see what the matter was. Muttering a prayer she took the candlestick in her trembling hands and started for the bedroom door. Scarcely had she put her hand on the knob, when the door burst open and Pat's stocky form shot thru the entrance as if hurled from a catapult, and knocked the horrified woman against the wall.

"Oh, Pat," she gasped, "what's happened?"

Pat's short, bristly hair stood upright, glinting red in the candlelight. His face was as white as the night-shirt that clung to his trembling frame. The fingers of his rigid hands were held up as if to ward off an invisible enemy.

"Ah," he wailed, "me time has come. The Old Boy himself put his cold hand on me face and said, 'Pat, I'm all ready fer ye.' Betsey, girl, send fer the praste to shrive me soul, for it's dead I'm to be soon. What'll become of ye, me girl, when I'm gone. Always be a widdy, Betsey, and keep me memory green. Don't pay any attention to that Jim Callahan



if he tries to hand out blarney to ye. May his cake be dough and the devil have the bakin' of it, if he ever tries to cajole ye. Ah, send for the praste and be quick."

An obliging passer-by summoned the priest, who gravely listened to Pat's excited account of the visitation, and then prepared to take his confession.

"My son, relieve your mind of every secret sin," was his advice. Thus admonished Pat began with a groan:

"Yistiddy, I knocked the lights out of Jim Callahan fer havin' free talk about my Betsey. May the saints fergive me, I hope his rascally bones ache yet!"

"Patsy," was the solemn rejoinder, "be forgiving. Consider that these are the last moments of your life on earth!"

"I fergive him," stammered Pat.

"Go on, my son."

"Yistiddy, I played a game of poker with John Sheehan, and, begorry, beat him three dollars and twinty cints—"

"My son," gravely rebuked the priest's voice—"and I gave it to the blessed church," continued Pat hurriedly. "I swore I'd beat John in the off'ring to your Riverince, and I did,—an' this morning I drank a wee sup of fine whiskey. There was only three fingers in the bottle, Y'r Riv'rince, an' it was a burning shame to waste it." For a moment Pat forgot his confession as his mind reverted to the three fingers of Scotch Rye. He was recalled by the calm voice of the priest:

"Think well, is this all?"

"Yes, Y'r Riv'rince, it is and may the devil get me if it isn't."

After the usual ceremonies the priest departed, leaving the two alone again. "Pat," anxiously suggested the weeping Betsey, "do be gettin' into bed, and compose yerself. I'll sit by ye and read from the Book to ye."

After much coaxing, Pat crawled, trembling and pale, into bed to wait for the expected summons. The hard day's work on the section crew and the lulling note of Betsey's voice proved too much for Pat. He crossed his arms behind his head, and in spite of his fears, went to sleep again. Betsey, with lips ashy and continually moving in

prayer, watched her husband anxiously. He didn't sound like a man who was expecting to close his earthly account at any moment. His breath came at first in subdued puffs and gradually his mouth dropped open. He proved his still tangible hold on life by snoring, now softly, and then with increasing vigor. Suddenly over the sleeper's face came a look of unrest. His hand dropped on his face and its coldness was disturbing the deep slumber. He moved uneasily, stirred, and opened his eyes slowly. His face took on an expression of horror and he sprang upright with a piercing shriek.

"Me time has come!" he yelled. But Betsey knew better this time. She had discovered the solution of the mysterious touch and summons. She shook him by the shoulder until he was thoroly awakened, and explained the mystery to him. When he was quite convinced, he crept back into bed with a sheepish grin. After a few moments' silence, he murmured sleepily, "'Betsey, girl, it was just as well I didn't tell the praste 'twas a whole pint instead of three fingers.'"

—1915.

#### DEBATING

The following men were selected as a result of the first preliminaries: Mr. Bacon, '17, Mr. Carey, '15, Mr. Cloutman, '16, Mr. Chayer, '17, Mr. Gustin, '15, Mr. Lane, '17, Mr. Johnson '16, Mr. Grundy, '18, Mr. Stillman, '16, Mr. Saxton, '15, Mr. Sherman, '17, and Mr. Vining, '16.

The second preliminaries are being held to-day. From this number will be selected eight men to compete in the finals. In the finals the six speakers will be chosen, the other two men to act as alternates of the two teams.

#### THE NEW BOARD OF EDITORS

The following have been selected as the editors of the STUDENT for 1915: Mr. H. W. Buker, Mr. R. E. Merrill, Mr. H. B. Clifford, Miss H. M. Johnson, Miss H. A. Mitchell, Miss M. E. Hutchins.

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With this issue of the STUDENT, the present board of editors have completed their work. Volume XLII is completed. Nearly a year ago we entered this field with great hopes, and enthusiasm that knew no bounds. We desired to maintain the same high standards of excellence which the STUDENT has always enjoyed. While we have not been wholly successful in our purposes, yet we trust that whatever mistakes have been ours will be overlooked. Without a further enumeration of faults and shortcomings, we will leave to our readers the judgment of our work.

We wish to express our gratitude, not only to those who have contributed to our columns, but also to any who have expressed their appreciation for what we have attempted to accomplish. Criticism is one of the most efficient means of help, that can be given and it is the means of a better understanding between editors and readers.

Two years ago the STUDENT advanced from a monthly to a weekly, a change that has long been desired by faculty, alumni, and students. Because of a greater expense it requires the support of each one of us to make it a financial success. Here's to the success and best wishes for the incoming board, and here's to our loyal support.

## SPOFFORD CLUB

Spofford Club met as usual in Libbey Forum, Thursday evening, December 10. As there was not a quorum present, no business was transacted, but the program was presented at once, consisting of a story by Miss Mitchell, entitled "Till Seventy Times Seven." The next meeting will be held at Professor Coleman's residence on Oak Street. At a special business meeting held Friday, Mr. Buker, '16, was elected a member of the club.

## THE RED CROSS

The Y. W. C. A. at Bates is taking an active interest in the work of the Red Cross. The Social Service Committee has the work in charge, and under the leadership of Mrs. Whitehorne, a great deal is being accomplished toward the relief of the soldiers in the present war. A large sum of money was raised by personal subscription, and invested in lint for bandages. Then at a Red Cross Tea, held a few weeks ago, the lint was rolled into bandages, and more interest was aroused by the address of Mrs. Whitehorne on Red Cross relief work. Money has also been given for the cause by the Y. M. C. A. This has been invested in yarn which the women of the college have knit into mufflers. During the past week about 600 Red Cross Christmas stamps have been sold. Also, a bank is being filled for the purpose of buying medicine.

## Y. W. C. A.

The first of last week a Christmas box was sent to Miss Elizabeth Perkins, Bates, '06, who is doing missionary work in Foochow, China.

The Y. W. C. A. wishes to call attention to the fact that special effort is being made in regard to the Christmas giving to the poor of the cities. Contributions of food, clothing, and other gifts are being brought in to be sent to



the Children's Home or to the Police Matron for distribution. If any one wishes to contribute something for the Christmas giving, please leave gifts with Miss Tilton, '15, Chairman of the Social Service Committee.

The regular meeting of the Young Women's Christian Association was held Wednesday evening, December 9, with the Juniors in charge of the program. Misses Mabel Googins, '16, and Marguerite Benjamin, '16, were the leaders and the subject was, "I will be Square." Miss Maude Murphy, '16, rendered a piano solo and Misses Alice King, '16, and Florence Nelson, '16, a duet.

### ENKULIOS

Saturday evening, December 12, was observed as Guest Night by Enkulios, the social club of the college, with about one hundred and fifty guests present. The entertainment began at 8 o'clock with a piano solo by Miss Maude Murphy, '16. Next came a mandolin solo by Miss Annie Leathers, '18, then Dr. Perrin, the Head of the Germanic Department of Languages at Boston University, was introduced as the speaker of the evening. Dr. Perrin's subject was "The Indian of the Northwest" and it proved to be very interesting as it was an account of his own personal experiences among the Indians.

Following the lecture, Miss Annie Leathers, '18, gave another mandolin solo, then a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments of punch and fancy crackers were served.

### LOCALS

The resident girls of the class of 1915 were delightfully entertained at the home of Sarah Rosenbloom on Park Street Thursday of last week. The evening was spent in sewing, for the most part. Delicious refreshments were served of sandwiches, sardines, olives, cake, chocolate, candy, and fruit. After singing songs the guests adjourned, all voting a delightful evening.

Mrs. Mansfield of Jonesport, Me., has been a recent guest of her son and daughter at Bates.

Miss Wadsworth, '15, and Miss King, '16, spent the week-end with Miss Googins, '16, at her home in Portland.

### LOOKING INTO THE BASKETBALL FUTURE

Would'st thou hear of the prospects of the class teams in ye grand old sport of Basketball? Listen, then, and I will tell thee of the dream which revealed to me the outcome of the season's sport.

As I wandered thru the long, cold corridors of Rand Hall, behold, I saw a girl clothed in garnet and — standing in a certain place before a bulletin board. I looked, and saw her reach up and pull down a large notice or sign which hung there. She began to read and as she read she trembled. As I drew near, she turned and fled down the corridor, bearing the notice with her.

Now from a door at the end of the corridor there came forth another girl clothed in garnet and —. Behold the girl in garnet and — did not perceive the oncoming figure and stepped directly into the middle of the corridor only to be brought low by a collision. She picked herself up and looked angrily at the girl in garnet and —, but as she perceived the misery of the latter, her own anger vanished and she inquired the cause of the woe. Thereupon the big notice was once more brought into sight.

I drew near to get a glance at this mysterious sign, but behold, both girls turned and fled down the stairs.

Now, it came to pass that midway down the stairs there stood a girl dressed in garnet and —; she stood there seemingly without purpose, gazing off into space. Suddenly she glanced up and seeing the two girls advancing swiftly towards her, gave one frightened glance in their direction, and turned and fled.

Ever faster the three fled down and down, until suddenly they stopped before a brightly lighted gymnasium.

Again I drew near, and this time a goodly sight met mine eye. Within the brightly lighted gymnasium were many girls clothed in garnet and —. Now these girls were playing with a ball. I looked and behold it was a basketball, and it was being thrown hither and thither, and behold the girls in garnet and — were running and jumping.



I turned once more to the girls outside and behold they counseled together.

"They have lost two good players," said she of the garnet and —.

"But they are strong, and swift, and accurate, and there are fifteen of them," said she of the garnet and —.

"Be of good cheer," said she of the garnet and —, "thou shalt not be forced to deal with them. I will bid them beware, for we of the garnet and — are still their superiors."

Thereupon she, ventured into the gymnasium holding up the white sign which she still held. She remonstrated, but the girls of garnet and — answered and said:

"As for the word that thou hast spoken unto us we will not hearken unto thee, but the thing which is proclaimed upon that notice, it will come to pass."

Thereupon they raised the notice which had fallen during the fray, and when they had posted it in plain sight, they went back to their play.

Again I drew near and behold this time I could clearly read the sign:

The Garnet and — Shall Have the Championship This Year!

"Now, Reader, I have told my dream to thee; See if thou canst interpret it to me, Or to thyself, or neighbors; but take heed Of mis-interpreting for that instead Of doing good, will but thyself abuse, By mis-interpreting evil insues.

Take heed also, that thou be not extreme In playing with the outside of my dream, Nor let my figure or similitude Put thee into laughter or a feud. Leave this for fools, but as for thee, Do thou the substance of my matter see."

#### JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

At the regular meeting of the Jordan Scientific Society last Monday evening, a paper on "High Explosives" was given by Mr. Davis and one on "Stereoisomerism" by Mr. Jordan. Mr. Manuel explained the uses of some instruments from the Physics Laboratory. The committees on current publications for December gave their report.

#### ETERNITY

One day is done; one night is gone:  
One moon hath crossed the starlit shades.  
One evening came; one morning shone:  
One sun set 'neath the western glades,  
—Yet, what care I,  
If o'er the sky  
The moons do come or go?  
If all the stars recline  
Beneath the ocean's flow?

The flow'r is dead; the leaf is pale;  
The grass hath ceased to grow.  
The grazing herd hath left the dale;  
The cornfield's stalk is trodden low.  
—But hoary sire,  
Winter dire,  
Thy come I do not fear;  
Thou hast changed the mountain's hue  
But not the changeless sphere.

Bt lo! I am decayed and old!  
My burdening years have wrought me gray.  
My knees are weak; my breath is cold;  
I read my name upon the day.  
—But death and life  
Are e'er at strife,  
Both ruling in the sky.  
They have a common birth  
To live is but to die.

Speed on, ye moons, in misty heights;  
Roll on, ye stars, in nightly gloom;  
Thou, summer, pour forth thy kindly lights;  
Thou, winter, bring thy silent tomb.  
—All are but one,  
Shadow or sun,  
The midnight mist, or noontide glow,  
All things revolve as one  
In the eternal flow.

—COSTAS STEPHANIS, '15.

#### Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. meeting, Wednesday evening, Dec. 9, was led by Mr. Stillman, '16, who spoke briefly on "The College Man's Obligations." Absolute honesty was emphasized as one of the principal obligations of a college man. After the talk a very interesting discussion was held.



## INTERSCHOLASTIC DEBATING LEAGUE

The Bates College Interscholastic Debating League has been re-organized for the year and includes Camden High, Deering High, Leavitt Institute, Maine Central Institute, Rockland High, Stephens High (Rumford), Bangor High, Morse High (Bath), and Gardiner High. The last three schools are new members of the League.

The contests will be conducted under the triple triangular system of debating, a plan altogether new among New England secondary schools. Under this method the nine institutions are arranged in three groups. Each group will hold a preliminary contest on the third Friday evening in March, upon the proposition, *Resolved*, That the women of Maine should be granted the suffrage on equal terms with men. Each school will be represented by an affirmative and by a negative team, and will thus debate each of the other schools in the triangle. The judges will give their decision by sealed ballot; the school that receives the largest number of ballots will be declared the winner in the triangle. The three successful schools will then form a new triangle and on the third Friday in April will hold a final contest on the same subject discussed in the earlier debates. The winner will be declared the champion of the League and will receive the Bates College Debating Cup. The judges will also select the best individual debater, who will receive suitable recognition. The triangular plan is regarded by the schools of the League as greatly superior to the dual system employed in last year's contest. Since each school has two teams, more interest in debating develops in the high school, more students can participate, more practice is offered for rebuttal, more schools can enter, a series of contests can be held without the necessity for any institution to change sides or to work up a new question, and each school can have a debate in the home city.

The Bates Interscholastic League was organized one year ago with eight schools. Three series of debates were held. In the final contest in Hathorn Hall last June,

Stephens High School of Rumford defeated Leavitt Institute on the subject of the naval increase, by a two to one decision. Brooks Quimby, Clarence Gould, members of this year's Freshman class, represented Leavitt.

The members of the executive committee of the League are Professors L. B. Farnham, Deering High, T. C. Chaffer, Gardiner High, L. G. Paine, Rumford High, C. L. Smith, Morse High, P. H. Booker, Leavitt Institute, S. R. Oldham, Maine Central Institute, Z. M. Dwinall, Camden High, Annie Coughlin, Rockland High, G. H. Larrabee, Bangor High, and A. C. Baird, Bates College.

## EUROSOPHIAN DRAMATIC CLUB

The first program of the Dramatic Club was presented last Friday evening. After each speaker had given his talk, a general discussion of the subject took place. The merits of the different plays were mentioned, and several men told of the impressions received while watching the plays.

The unbiased dealing with the various subjects from a personal standpoint, together with a general summing up of the several qualities of each topic, gives every member of the Club a broad student view.

The program last week was:

William Hodge in the "Road to Happiness"	W. F. Oakman
"Milestones"	E. A. Harding
Edwin Booth	I. R. Harriman

Harriman presented some pictures of Edwin Booth taken from a personal collection. There are only about seven hundred similar collections in existence.

## HOCKEY RINK

Work is well under way on the dam for the skating rink back of Parker Hall. Last week the men raised over seventy-five dollars in pledges towards this work and many have been out and helped in the actual work.

The plan is to flood the natural basin just in the rear of the Gymnasium. This will be easily done by constructing a dam across the narrow depression to the north that is the only outlet for the basin. This dam is already nearing completion and we are assured of a sizable pond on our campus, suitable for skating in winter and canoeing thru the summer.



## AN IF FOR RAND

(With apologies to Kipling)

If you can live in Rand without complaining,  
 Yet not considered by your friends a freak;  
 If you can smile on a tyrant without feigning  
 But not be too mild and meek;  
 If you can eat what's set before you  
 And feel no ill effects;  
 Consent to what you're asked to do,  
 Nor put it off too gracefully on the next;  
 If you can the quiet hour keep  
 With meditation and with prayer,  
 And when others are stirred to passions deep  
 Your countenance's still serene and fair;  
 If you can keep the study hours  
 Nor rouse e'en once the proctor's ire,  
 If you don't feed the dining room flowers  
 Nor take down the hose to play at fire,  
 If you can live on terms of love with all your  
     neighbors  
 Nor bless those who room above  
 When they disturb your evening labors,  
 If in word and deed you're always square  
 And never make a mean remark;  
 If you mind your manners and always a hat  
     wear  
 And never go out walking after dark.  
 If you can do all these and live in Rand,  
 And never from the standard once depart;  
 The rest of us, my dear, will never understand  
 The mysteries of your inner mind and heart;  
 But you'll be dear to the hearts of the Powers  
     that be,  
 And ages to come with wonderment shall see  
 The prodigy of Bates College.

## PIAERIAN SOCIETY

Last Friday night at a meeting of Piæria, plans for taking up an entirely new line of work were discussed. It was found that many of the men would be interested in the study of "Man," the term taken in its broadest sense; in a study of the conditions, customs and institutions of the different races and nationalities. The society will be in a measure a Geographical Society or a Travel Club.

The membership will be limited to fifteen men from the three upper classes, elections taking place at the close of the second semester of each year.

## FRESHMAN PHYSICAL TESTS

The physical examinations which Director Purinton has been giving to all the Freshmen who did not play football this fall, have been completed. As a result, Stanley Spratt of Woonsocket, R. I., took the highest strength test and is considered the "strong man" of 1918. The tests are made on the same basis as the Dr. Sargent system at Harvard. The men who took the ten strongest tests are as follows:

Spratt of Woonsocket, R. I.	941.43
Reed, Pittston	895.22
Ross, Biddeford	879.2
Fowler, Island Falls	836.3
Steady, Berlin, N. H.	835
Boutelle, Amherst, N. H.	818.21
True, Phillips	793.87
Chamberlain, Portland,	790.7
Davidson, Gardiner	769.62
DeWolfe, Medford, Mass.	760.32

## INTERCOLLEGIATE

## SOCIALIST SOCIETY

The Sixth Annual Convention of the Intercollegiate Socialist Society will be held in New York City, Dec. 29th, 30th and 31st, 1914. At the Convention dinner, to be held on December 30th, the subject of "How Can Permanent Peace be Assured?" will be discussed. Among the speakers are Hamilton Holt, Editor of *The Independent*, Charlotte Perkins Gilman, Morris Hillquit, Prof. Ellen Hayes and Florence Kelley. The other sessions will be addressed by well-known authorities on Socialism and social reform.

Full details concerning the Convention may be obtained from the Society's headquarters, 41 Union Square, New York City. All collegians interested in the subject of Socialism will be welcome at the various sessions of the Convention.

## ALUMNI NOTES

The Cheney Club held its annual meeting in Manchester, N. H., on Friday evening, December 4th. Professor Knapp was the guest from the college.

1873—Charles Davis is a practicing physician at Harbor Beach, Michigan.

1874—Rev. Charles S. Frost is pastor of a church in Auburn, Rhode Island. His address is 45 Rolfe St., Auburn, R. I.



1876—Mr. I. C. Phillips, who has been superintendent of schools at Farmington, Me., is now settled in E. Greenwich, R. I.

Marion Douglass, Esq., of Duluth, Minn., has recently died. Mr. Douglass was a successful lawyer, highly esteemed for his integrity and his professional ideals. He has left a bequest of \$10,000 to the college. The money, however, may not be available for a year or more as the settlement of his estate will require considerable time.

1877—George H. Wyman, who for twenty years has been an attorney in Anoka, Minn., has opened an office in Minneapolis. His address in Minneapolis is 625 East Franklin St.

1878—Ernest V. Scribner, M.D., is Superintendent of Worcester State Hospital.

Rev. F. D. George is pastor of a Congregational Church in Bedford, N. H.

1880—Harry L. Merrill is superintendent of schools in Hutchinson, Minn.

1881—William C. Hobbs is superintendent of the schools of Cranston, R. I. His address is Auburn, R. I.

Rev. Charles W. Williams is pastor of a church in Becket, Mass.

1883—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reade have recently been made members of the Bates Round Table.

1885—Corydon W. Harlow is a physician at Melrose Highlands, Mass. He has had excellent success in his work.

1886—Edgar D. Varney is supervising principal of the schools of Milford, Delaware.

1893—Dr. John Sturgis of Auburn attended the last sessions of the American College of Surgeons. Dr. Sturgis has recently been elected a member of this Association.

1900—A. W. Wing is beginning his third year at the head of the Commercial Department in the High School at Winthrop, Mass.

1902—Rev. A. A. Walsh, the husband of Mrs. Ruth Pettengill Walsh, Bates 1902, has become State Evangelist under the evangelistic committee of the Maine Free Baptist Association. He began his work at East Waterboro, November 5.

1904—Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick (Lucy May Billings) lives in Fort Fairfield, Me.

1909—Alice E. Howard of Brockton, Mass., was married on December 1 to Rev. Gould Brown of Bath.

Percy H. Booker is principal of Leavitt Institute, Turner, Me.

1911—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quincy (Ruth Sweetser, 1912) have a little daughter, Jean, born in September.

Hazel B. Barnard is teaching in Edward Little High School, Auburn, Me.

October 16 occurred the marriage of Ambrose J. Nichols, Bates 1911, and Miss Florence D. Perry. Their home is in Washington, Maine, where Mr. Nichols is principal of the high school.

Charles Lord is principal of Patten Academy, Patten, Me.

1912—Wayne Davis is teacher of History in Mercersburg Academy, Mercersburg, Pa.

John P. Cheever, 1913, is also a teacher in Mercersburg Academy.

Carl T. Rhoades is a teacher in the high school at Weston, Mass.

Albert A. Rand is Literary Assistant in the Baptist Missionary Society, Ford Building, Boston.

William Hooper is teaching in Chicopee High School, Chicopee, Mass.

1914—Eugene Drake is a student at Bowdoin Medical School.

Onsville J. Moulton is teaching at Mechanic Falls, Me.

Helen Pease is a teacher in the high school at West Lebanon, N. H.

Mary Nichols is teaching in Addison, Me.

Mildred Paige is a teacher in Fairfax, Vt.

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